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SENSATIONAL MOVE IN THE POSTAL BLOCKADE

MYSTERY
DELAY IN
TARIFF WARRUMOURED ACTIVITY
BEHIND THE SCENES

IRELAND'S PLANS

Dublin, July 24.

The schedule of the new tariffs against Great Britain was expected to be issued by Mr. de Valera to-night but was not forthcoming.

Considerable speculation has been aroused by the delay. Mr. de Valera was busy all day, discussing his programme with one official and another, drawing up his list of dutiable articles, but he did not summon the Cabinet to give final sanction to the proposals.

It is uncertain what significance attaches to the absence of the expected announcement to-night, but there is talk of conversations behind the scenes which might lead to a re-opening of the negotiations.

NOT FOR LONG.

It is difficult to see how this can be accomplished in view of the uncompromising attitude hitherto adopted and it is not anticipated that the tariff list will be held up for long, by any means.

In fact, it is thought that one list will be published to-morrow and that it is likely to prove merely the first of several, as the completion of the barrier against Britain is dependent upon the result of negotiations with other countries. Efforts are being made to secure a new outlet for Irish produce.—*Reuter*.

DOCK FERRY RAMS
A JUNKCRAFT ALMOST TORN
IN HALF

Some excitement was caused near the Star Ferry wharf at 10.45 a.m. to-day, when the Kowloon Dock ferry, which was crossing the harbour, crashed into a junk. The force of the collision almost tore the junk, which was not laden with cargo, in half, and she quickly became water-logged.

The junk was prevented from sinking only by the fact that the bow of the steam ferry remained held fast through the interior of the junk. Ropes were passed across the junk to prevent it from sinking, but assistance from another vessel had to be procured to separate the two craft.

Holding the damaged junk up by ropes, which were passed around its hull, the Kowloon Dock ferry later towed it across the harbour to Kowloon.

Seven or eight Chinese were aboard the junk, but no one was injured.

STOP PRESS.

CHOLERA TRAGEDY

Shanghai, July 25, 11.8 a.m.

Judge Milton Purdy, of the United States Court for China, was taken suddenly ill last night and rushed off to hospital, where cholera was diagnosed. He was removed to the Isolation Hospital.

Late in the evening, Mrs. Purdy visited the hospital and when informed of the diagnosis, collapsed and died of heart failure.—*Reuter*.

ALLEGED
JAPANESE
COUNTERTO ESTABLISH OWN
POST OFFICE

UNDER CONSUL

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, July 25.

The Chinese Post Office has now taken all necessary steps to make the postal blockade of Manchukuo effective. No mails are being transmitted from China Proper to Manchuria and all Chinese postal officials in Manchuria have received recall orders.

A sensation has, however, been created by reports of a Japanese attempt to break the blockade.

The report emanates from Chinese sources, but it is given considerable prominence in the *China Press* this morning.

The *China Press* quotes a Chinese news agency as alleging

SIBERIAN MAIL
SUSPENDEDNOTIFICATION BY
H.K. POST OFFICE.

The Postmaster-General, Hongkong, notifies that the despatch of mails from Hongkong to Europe via Siberia is temporarily suspended, until further notice.

The suspension is the result of a cable from Shanghai announcing that owing to "extraordinary circumstances" mails can no longer be transmitted by the Siberia route.

that the Japanese authorities are preparing to establish a temporary post office of their own in Shanghai, in the Japanese Consulate-General.

WOULD NULLIFY EFFORT.

It is obvious that such a measure, if it was made effective, would go a long way towards nullifying the postal blockade which the Nanking authorities have ordered to be established against Manchukuo.

If the mails are actually handled by the Japanese Consulate, they will be sent to Dairen aboard Japanese steamers.

JAPANESE DEMAND.

According to the same report, the measure has received the support of Japanese residents of Shanghai, who have decided to urge Tokyo to protest to the Chinese Government against the imposition of the blockade.—*Reuter*.

OFFICIALS LEAVING.

Peking, July 24.

Important Post Office officials have arrived from Manchuria with archives and records, which have been placed in the custody of the Tientsin Post Office.

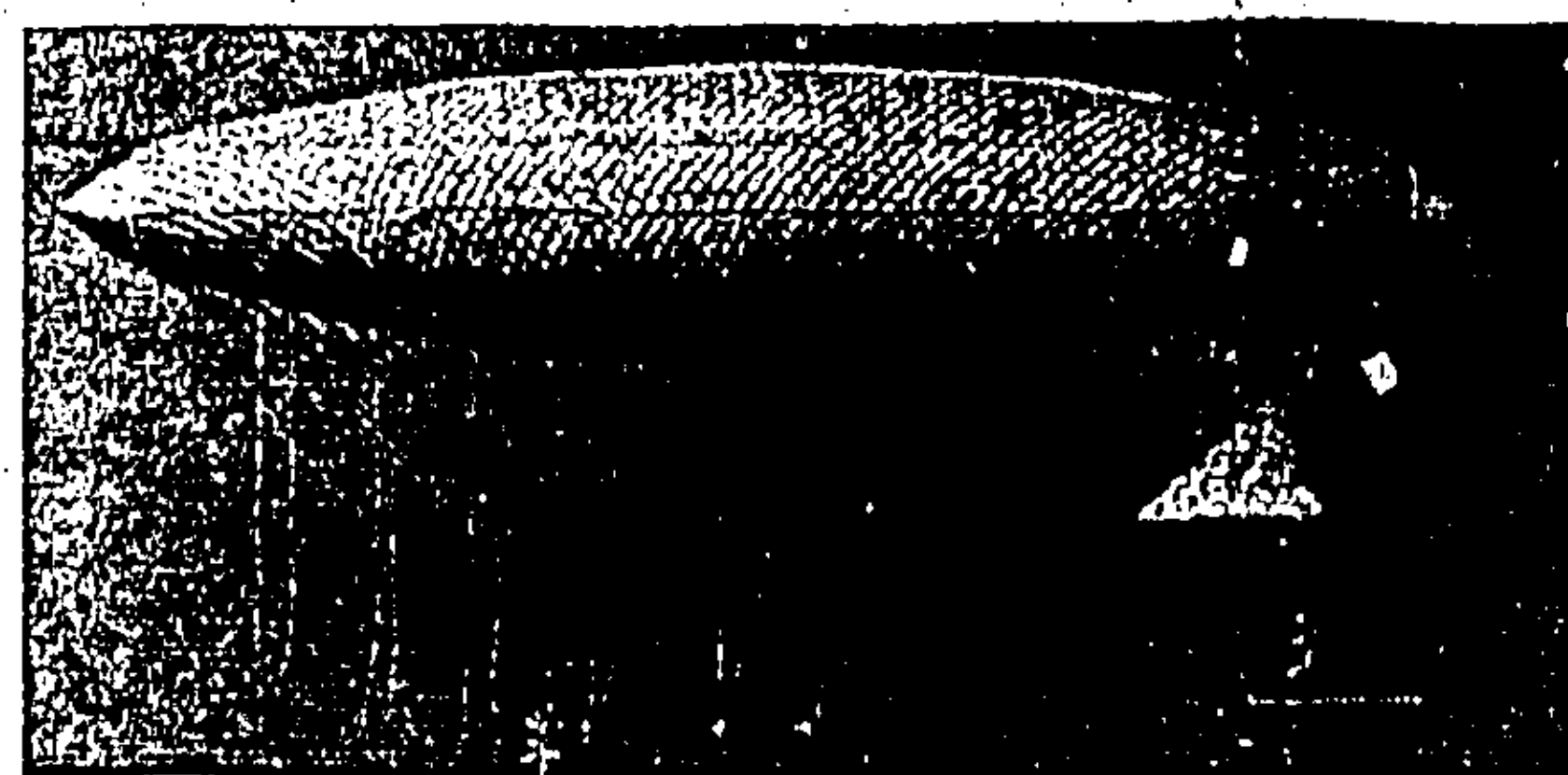
Over two thousand minor officials are expected to leave Manchuria in the coming week.—*Renah*.

AUTHORITY GIVEN.

Shanghai, July 24.

The Ministry of Communications has issued the necessary orders for the institution of the blockade of Manchukuo. Efforts will be made to place officials returning from Manchukuo in post offices in China Proper.—*Renah*.

According to a report made to the police by Mr. C. M. Manners, eleven packages of chisels, worth \$100, have been stolen from No. 51 Godown at the Kowloon Godowns.



Our picture shows the Giffard dirigible balloon, constructed in 1852. It was 144 feet long and was inflated with coal-gas. Senor Santos Dumont, the airship pioneer, achieved his fame by following up Giffard's ideas.

HEAT WAVE
DEATHSBRITISH OFFICER DIES
IN SHANGHAI

News has been received of the death in Shanghai, from the effects of heat, on Friday last, of Major Robert Linton Ritchie, O.B.E., R.A.M.C.

Major Ritchie's decease was very sudden and unexpected; he was admitted to hospital and was almost at once pronounced dangerously ill.

Major Ritchie, who was in his 43rd year, joined the R.A.M.C. in April, 1915, and was on active service for more than three years, serving in Gallipoli, Egypt, Italy, France and Belgium. He also obtained the medal and clasp for the operations in Waziristan after the War.

He joined the China Command early in 1930, being posted to the British Military Hospital, Shanghai, as Medical Specialist, and is survived by his widow, at present in Shanghai.

His is the second heat stroke death within a week among the British troops in Shanghai. A Quartermaster-Sergeant of the R.A.S.C. also died from heat exhaustion.

NORWEGIAN SHIP
IN DISTRESSNOW BEING TOWED TO
HONGKONG

Battling against heavy seas, the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company's tug Henry Keswick is expected to arrive in Hongkong late to-night with the disabled Norwegian steamer Hirundo in tow.

News that the Hirundo was in distress was received here on Saturday, and arrangements were immediately made by the agents, Messrs. Thoreson and Company, to despatch a tug to her assistance. The S. O. S., which was picked up by the Cape D'Agular radio station, intimated that the Norwegian steamer was in distress 260 miles south of Hongkong. Fears were entertained for the safety of the passengers and crew, in view of the unsettled conditions in the China Sea.

With the aid of the wireless equipment aboard the tug, the two ships were kept in communication with each other, and early yesterday morning the Henry Keswick found the disabled steamer. Lines were put on board the Hirundo, and the difficult task of towing her to Hongkong was commenced.

The Hirundo left Swatow for Bangkok at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, carrying several deck passengers. The SOS was sent out late on Saturday night. The vessel's position was then 12 North 118 East, but she drifted considerably before being picked up by the tug, at noon yesterday. It is believed the vessel's rudder was carried away in the heavy seas.

Two fishermen were fined \$10 or one week's imprisonment each by the Hon. Comdr. Holo at the Marine Court this morning, for using bright lights when fishing in Kowloon Bay.

A boatman, charged before the Hon. Comdr. Holo, at the Marine Court this morning, with having moored his craft inshore at Tai Hing wharf, was fined \$20 or two weeks' imprisonment.

AIRSHIP FLIGHT
PIONEER DEADWINNER OF DEUTSCH
PRIZE IN 1901

SANTOS DUMONT

Rio de Janeiro, July 24.

Senor Santos Dumont, the famous aeronautical inventor, to whom South Americans credit the development of the airship, passed away at his Petropolis home, near Rio, to-day. He was fifty-nine years of age.

He was the recognised airship pioneer. Seeing his first balloon in 1888, when fifteen, he began at once to take an interest in flying, paying much attention to the ideas of Henri Giffard, the French inventor.

In 1891 he visited Paris, expecting to "see new things...steerable balloons, and automobiles." To his immense astonishment, he found there were no steerable balloons. There were only spherical balloons. In fact, no-one had continued the trials of the elongated balloon driven by a motor begun by Henri Giffard. For years, no cigar-shaped balloons have been seen in the air.

FIVE FAILURES.

In 1889, he decided to make an attempt to win the Deutsch prize of 100,000 francs, offered for flying the first motor-driven airship from the Aero Club in Paris, around the Eiffel Tower and back to the club grounds in less than half an hour.

He built five airships (each about 90 feet long) but none answered his purpose though the Santos Dumont No. 5 completed the Deutsch Prize course in forty minutes.

DAY OF TRIUMPH.

In No. 6, however, he won the Deutsch prize, making the journey in 29 minutes 30 seconds on October 19, 1901. He experienced engine trouble at a critical moment and gave the spectators a thrilling finish by ascending rapidly at the end of the course and passing the Eiffel Tower from the Aero Club in nine minutes, but on the return trip, in the teeth of a stiff wind, nearly failed because of engine trouble which almost found him with his airship out of control.

TRANSPORT MUSEUM.

He never lost his interest in aviation, though late in life he developed another fad, travelling between Rio and Paris. Most of his time appeared to be spent on steamers between Rio and France. He also collected a remarkable museum of models of aeroplanes, dirigibles, motor-cars, locomotives and ships.—*Reuter*.

Two further cases of cholera were notified during the week-end.

While on a visit yesterday to a friend, Mrs. Mooney, at 50, Argyle Street, Kowloon, Mrs. Lam Ho, of 514, Canton Road, was bitten by a dog owned by Mrs. Mooney. The animal was afterwards destroyed by Police Sergeant Clark.

WASHINGTON ORDER
DEFIEDCHICAGO B.O.T. OFFERS
CHALLENGE

Chicago, July 24.

A struggle between the Federal Government and the Chicago Board of Trade is foreshadowed as the result of an order by the Government announcing the suspension of the Chicago Board of Trade for sixty days for alleged violation of the law.

The specific breach of law alleged is the refusal by the Board of Trade to grant clearing house privileges to the Farmers' National Grain Corporation.

The Board of Trade has decided to defy the suspension order and to remain open.

The leading officials of the Chicago Board of Trade declare that their closing would throw the wheat market into chaos, it

being impossible for Minneapolis or Winnipeg or any other cities to handle the volume of business passing through Chicago.

HOOVER JOB-HOLDERS.

The Board intends to appeal to the highest courts for relief from the suspension order and declares that it will make no attempt to effect a compromise with the Committee of "Hoover Job-Holders."—*Reuter*.

DAVIS CUP

AMERICA'S
CHALLENGEVINES WINS VITAL
MATCHGREAT DISPLAY BY
VON CRAMM

Paris, July 24.

Ellsworth Vines, the Wimbledon champion, to-day defeated G. von Cramm by three sets to one in the Davis Cup Inter-Zone Final, the United States thereby qualifying to meet France in the Challenge Round.

There was never any real doubt about Vines' all-round superiority to the German player, but von Cramm's resourcefulness and magnificent steadiness enabled him to give the American one of his hardest fights of this, his first, visit to Europe.

GERMAN WINS FIRST SET.

Vines' better volleying probably decided the match. In the first set, he attacked furiously, but von Cramm's positioning and placing were brilliant and he was steadily personified, retrieving everything. For a while, Vines was puzzled and von Cramm took the first set 6-3.

The American's whirlwind services and drives began to have their influence in the second set and von Cramm failed to withstand the battery.

TERRIFIC DUEL.

The third set provided a duel which was worth going a long way to see. Vines showed no loss of the form which had carried him through to success in the second set, but von Cramm rose to great heights, challenging every point and refusing to stay on the defensive. Five-all, six-all and seven-all were called, both players being stretched to their limit, but at this stage von Cramm faltered for just a moment and Vines broke through his service to capture the set.

TO CHALLENGE FRANCE.

After this, Vines' brilliant overhead play carried him to a well-deserved and hard-earned victory. The Americans having won the doubles against Penn and von Cramm in straight sets, they won the Inter-Zone Final by three matches to one. The match with France commences on Friday next.

The results of the first two singles were given on Saturday. The other scores were:

W. Allison and J. Van Ryn (America) beat H. Frenn and G. von Cramm (Germany), 6-3, 6-4, 6-1.

Ellsworth Vines (America) beat von Cramm (Germany), 8-6, 6-3, 6-3.—*Reuter*.

MANCHURIA WAR

JAPANESE
SETBACKSLOSE CONTROL OF
C. E. R.ANTI-MANCHUKUO
OCCUPATION

Harbin, July 25.

The Japanese are rapidly losing their grip on the eastern section of the Chinese Eastern Railway. The troops employed on garrison duty are seriously menaced and in danger of isolation.

The Chinese "Volunteers"—the patriotic anti-Manchukuo forces—are invading the C.E.R. at all points, having received large additions to their strength recently.

Guerilla warfare appears to be proceeding on a larger scale than ever before and the Japanese hold seems to be becoming rather precarious.

SHINTOHOTZE RETAKEN.

Japanese sources report a victory over the Chinese Volunteers at Shintohotze yesterday and to have recaptured the city which fell into the hands of the anti-Manchukuo forces on Thursday.

It is, however, authoritatively learned that the Volunteers have now re-occupied practically the whole of the C.E.R. to the east of Imlenpo, the only places beyond that still held by the Japanese being Hallin, and Hontohotze. In these two places, the Japanese garrison is practically isolated.

The Shintohotze fighting lasted all day yesterday, but finally the Japanese were able to carry out a flanking movement which rolled up the defence lines of the Volunteers and compelled them to retreat, leaving eighty dead on the field.—*Reuter*.

EXCHANGE MARKET
VERY DULLNO CHANGE IN THE
DOLLAR

The Hongkong dollar remains unchanged at 1s. 3½d. to-day. The local market is lifeless.

Silver is up 1/8th in London, where China bought. There were small offerings on a firm market. New York reports silver up 1/16th, with the market dull.



Mr. Henderson.

MR.
HENDERSON
HOME AGAINNOT SATISFIED BUT
STILL HOPEFUL

London, July 24.

With the conclusion of the first stage of the Disarmament Conference, with little of practical importance apparently accomplished, the representatives of the various nations are leaving Geneva.

The British delegates to the Conference have already returned to London as has Mr. Arthur Henderson, the chairman of the Conference and the leader of the British Labour Party.

Mr. Henderson was warmly welcomed at Victoria by Labour leaders and others.

BOUND TO TRIUMPH.

He stated that he will be returning to Geneva in September. He also stated, in an interview with newsmen, that while he could not pretend to be satisfied with the results achieved during the first stage of the conference, but it would be wrong to say that the resolution adopted contained nothing of value.

He re-affirmed his conviction that the cause of disarmament is bound to triumph.

The question was, he said, whether that triumph was to come now or after another long period of waiting.—*Reuter*.

MONGKOK FIRE
OUTBREAKSTOCK WORTH \$1,000
DESTROYED

At 8.45 last night, a fire broke out on the premises occupied by the Fai Wah Electric Battery Company, at 2, Tung Choi Street, Mongkok.

A lighted cigarette-end thrown carelessly into a heap of shavings was the cause of the outbreak. The Fire Brigade, called early to the scene, put out the conflagration within a quarter of an hour. No great damage was caused to the building by the fire, although a valuable amount of stock, said to be over \$1,000, was destroyed by water and fire combined. The goods were not insured.

Clothing to the value of \$38 was stolen from Mrs. Mayer's residence on the ground floor of 4, Jordan Road, early yesterday morning, by a thief who is supposed to have entered through the front door, which had been left open.

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By W. E. McKenney

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♥Q-9-3	♥4-3
♦A-J-6-4-2	♦J-5-4
♣7-6-2	♣K-9-8
♠K-8-2	♠Q-4
♥10-8-6-2	
♦5	
♣A-10-9-8-3	
♠A-J-5	
♥A-K-7	
♦Q-10-7-3	
♣K-J-5	

The Bidding.

The bidding was two No Trump
by Mr. Burnstine in the South
which his partner in the North
carried to three No Trump.

The Play.

The opening lead was the ten
of clubs by West, dummy played
the deuce, East the queen, and if
Mr. Burnstine in the South were
to win the trick with the king, his
contract of three No Trump would
be defeated. Mr. Burnstine made
what is known in bridge as a
safety play, putting on the five of
clubs. When East returned the
four of clubs, Mr. Burnstine played
the king, West won the trick with
the ace. West returned the nine
of clubs. East showed out,
discarding a spade, and South won
the trick with the jack. The
queen of diamonds was the lead
and the finesse taken, which East
won with the king.

If Mr. Burnstine had won the
first trick with the king of clubs,
East could now lead the four of
clubs and West would run off four
clubs tricks, but now East has no
more clubs and all that he can do
is to lead a small spade which Mr.
Burnstine in the South wins with
the ace. The ten of diamonds is
then led by the declarer, followed
by the seven spot, which is won in
dummy with the jack. The ace
and six of diamonds in the dummy
are then cashed, South the de-
clarer discarding the five of
spades on the last diamond. De-
clarer then cashes his ace, king
and queen of hearts, granting the
last spade trick to West.

By refusing to win the first club
trick, South the declarer makes
his contract of three No Trump.

LAURA GUERITE.

CLEVER ARTISTE PLEASES
AT PENINSULA

The big crowd that occupied the
Rose Room at the Peninsula Hotel
on Saturday night was proof
enough of the popularity that
Laura Guerite has earned during
her very short stay in Hongkong.
The very capable artiste, with her
unique personality, added much to
the merriment of the evening and
kept the well-filled room in a con-
stant ripple of laughter with her
merry quips and clever character
songs.

A seasoned stage performer,
Miss Guerite is also well suited
for cabaret entertainment and has
the happy knack of putting herself
on friendly terms with her
listeners with her constant topical
references.

Miss Guerite was extremely gen-
erous with her offerings on Satur-
day and replied again and again to
the warm hand-claps of the
audience. Her numbers included
a couple of straight songs, and a
burlesque or two, in which she
showed her versatility and obliged
a number of requests with her
favourites "The Canary" and "The
Queens of England."

Mr. A. G. Piovarelli, Manager of
the Peninsula, had arranged an
excellent evening, and it is an-
nounced that Miss Guerite will
make her last appearance at the
hotel next Saturday.

MISSING MAN BACK.

HOTEL VISITOR RETURNS
WITH EXPLANATION

M. Lucien Iphate, the young
Frenchman from Haiphong for
whom the Police had been search-
ing since he left the Hongkong
Hotel a week ago, returned to the
hotel on Saturday, and was sur-
prised to learn of the concern
which had been felt regarding his
absence, leading to his being re-
ported missing.

When M. Iphate left the hotel on
the previous Sunday he obtained
two towels from a servant, which
circumstance, when his prolonged
absence was noticed, gave rise to
fears that he might have gone for
a swim and met with some unfor-
tunate accident. It now appears
that the report of his "disap-
pearance" was "a mistake," and
that M. Iphate had an explanation
which he communicated to the
Police.

WOMAN'S COLLAPSE.

TRAGEDY OCCURS IN
CHINA BUILDING

Shortly after one o'clock yester-
day afternoon, a Chinese woman,
who had come out of China Build-
ing, suddenly collapsed on the pav-
ement in front of the main entrance,
to the consternation of a large num-
ber of people who were about.

Assistance was immediately
forthcoming, and an ambulance ar-
rived on the scene and conveyed
the woman to Hospital. Life was
however, found to be extinct, and
the body was taken to the Mortu-
ary.

It appears that the woman, who
was about 45 years of age, and
who had the appearance of belong-
ing to the middle class, had been in
ill-health, for which reason she had
gone into China Building to con-
sult a doctor. It was whilst she
was going away that death
apparently suddenly intervened.

Tokyo, July 23.

The Foreign Office has received
a communication from Nanking
approving of the appointment of
Mr. Ariyoshi as Minister to China.
—Reuter.

Coming to the King's
and Oriental Theatres.



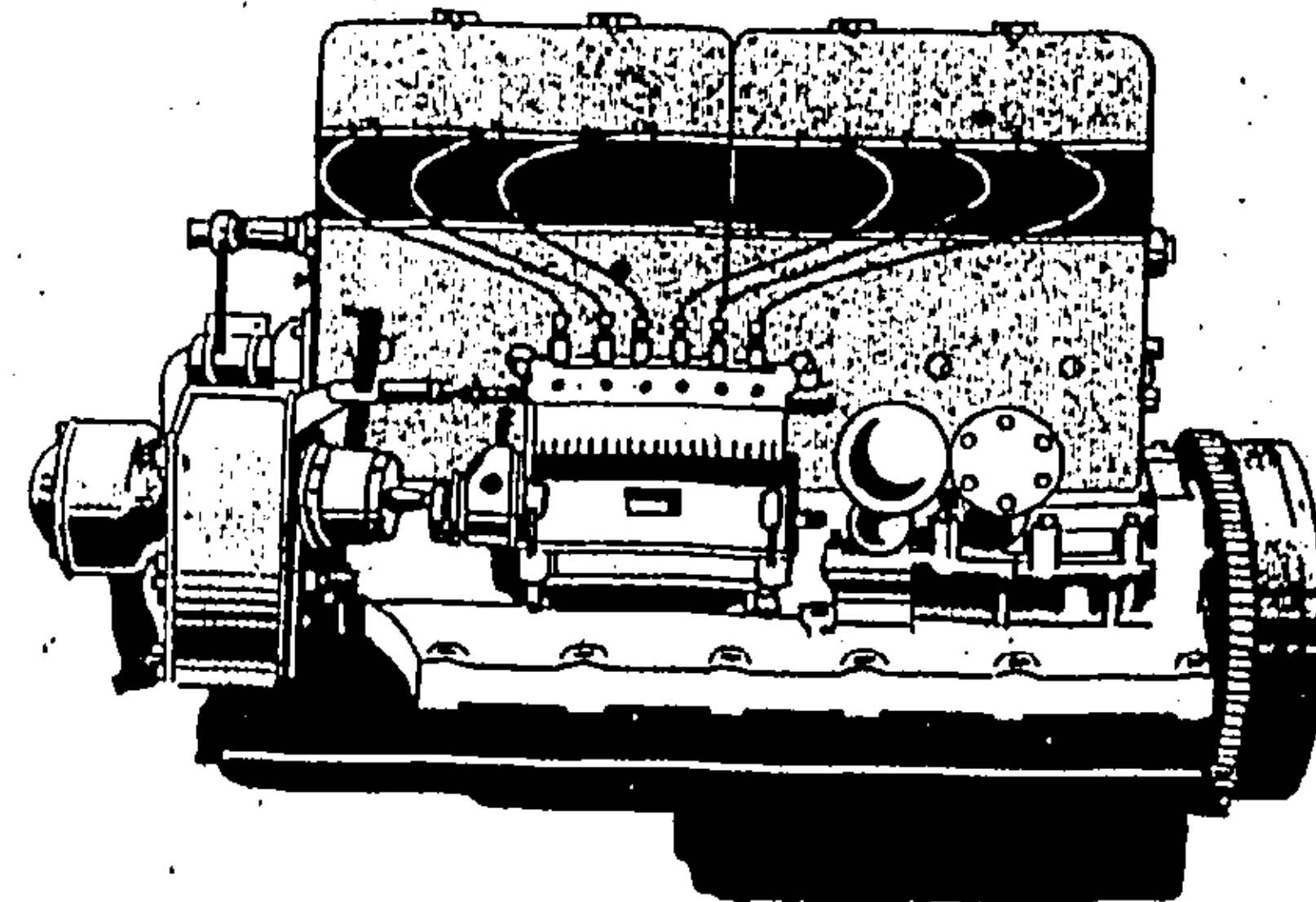
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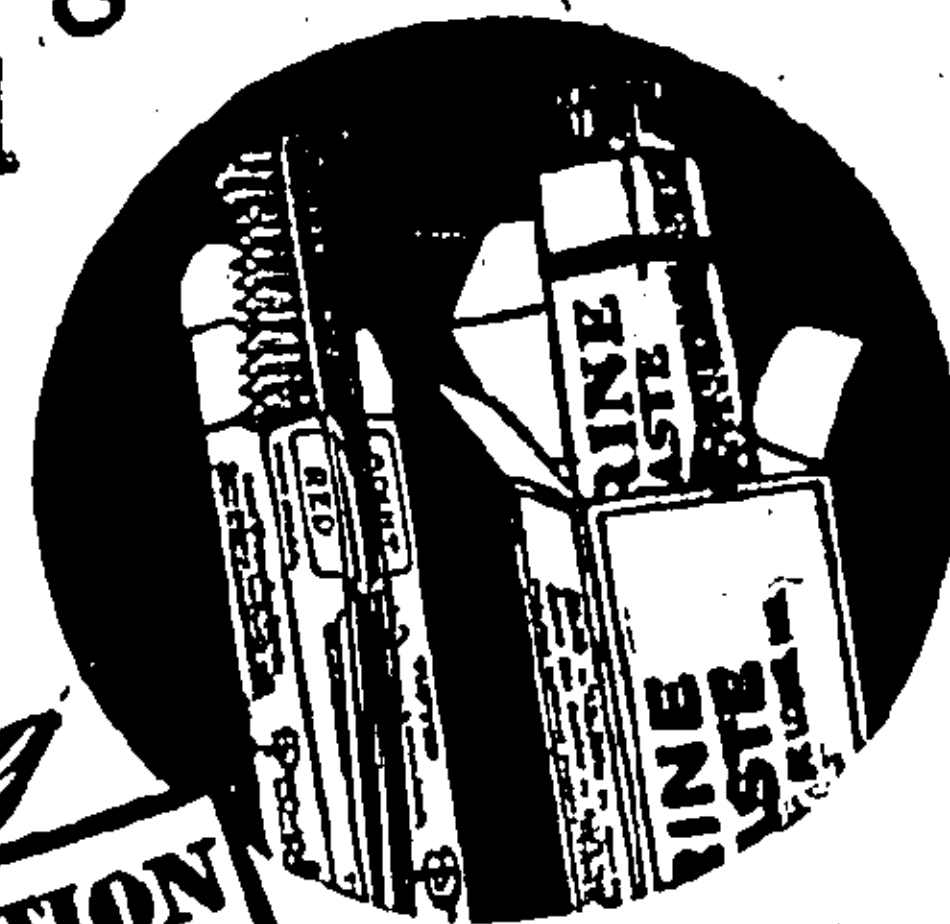
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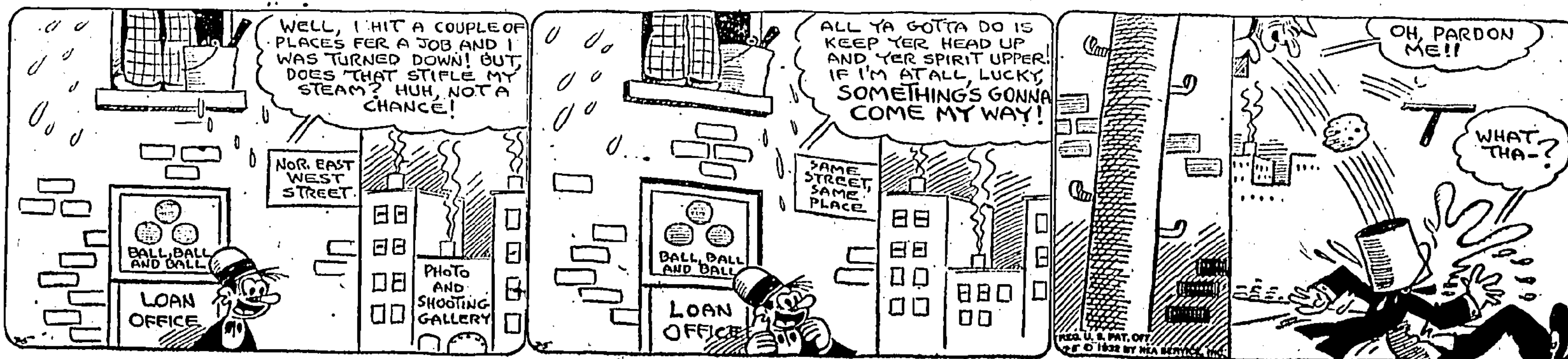


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By Small





The prevalence of smash-and-grab raids in London has led to the invention of device which releases a steel shutter to cover the window immediately it is smashed. It rushed down at tremendous speed. Photo shows a demonstration.



Gene Sarazen, winner of the British and American Open Golf Championships, shown playing at Sandwich.

MAN HUNTERS

BY MABEL McELLIOTT

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY.

Susan Carey, 29 and beautiful, is in love with Bob Dunbar, son of a millionaire, although she is engaged to Ernest Heath, her former employer. She believes Bob is engaged to Denise Ardree, a society girl, then Langman, former admirer of Susan, shoots at Heath and wounds himself. After his recovery Heath urges an early wedding. He arranges for Susan's aunt, who has been ill, to go south. Jack Warner advises Susan not to go through with the marriage stressing the difference in her age and Heath's. At a masked ball Susan meets Bob and her love for him flares up again. Denise intervenes, Bob finds Susan at her home and urges her to elope with him. Heath overhears.

CHAPTER XLV

This was the letter Heath had written to Susan:

My Dear: I hope you are going to understand what I am trying to say. It may seem at the eleventh hour an absurd gesture on my part. But after giving the matter a great deal of thought I have decided this marriage of ours is not wise. I am asking you to release me, feeling a quiet certainty that the release will actually be yours. Susan, dear, you are much too young for me. I knew it from the start, but I deluded myself into thinking we could surmount that obstacle. Now I have come to the conclusion it is too serious to be taken lightly. I am afraid I have been selfish through all this. I have been trying to recapture my own youth through your eyes, and that is neither natural nor fair.

I am hoping you will marry soon, someone of your own age or thereabouts. Be sure the man you choose is worthy of you. No, I take that back. Be sure you love him enough. Everything else will follow. I don't mean, my dear, to sound like a fatuous old dotard but perhaps you will forgive me for offering you all this advice.

There's another thing. It was on my account that you left gainful occupation. It may be difficult for you to find interesting and well paid work just now. For that reason I am asking you to accept in good part the arrangements I have made through my lawyer. A trust fund which will pay you a modest weekly income has been placed in your aunt's name. You see, I have been so sure that you would try to refuse

this that I have tied it up hard and fast. You can do nothing about it. It is, anyhow, a small favour to grant me.

You may explain this in any way you like to those who have known our plans. I am sailing the day after to-morrow. If I were not sure this was the wisest course, believe me, I should not be acting as I am. I wish, you, as always, the very best life has to offer. Ernest Heath.

Susan read the letter through again, dazed. Then she folded it mechanically and put it beside her plate. Mrs. Milton bustled in. "That coffee's cold, child," she said chidingly. "Let me get you a fresh cup."

Susan heard the words as in a dream. She sipped the steaming liquid, grateful for the burning sensation it afforded her. She felt numb.

"What's the matter child? Don't you feel well?"

"Yes, perfectly. Only I've just remembered I have an errand to do."

She flung on her hat and coat and tore out of the house. There was a pay station at the corner drug store. She fumbled the pages of the telephone book and called a number.

"Is Mr. Dunbar in?"

A shadow of disappointment flitted over her face. "No, thanks, no message. I'll call him later." Susan paused, irresolute, at the stand where the telephone directories were kept and filed the pages again. There was a chance Bob might be at his father's office.

Again she was doomed to disappointment. Young Mr. Dunbar was not in, the operator said. He seldom came to the office on Saturdays. There was just a chance that madam might find him at the country club. Did madam know the number? If she would wait a minute it could be found for her. Susan held the receiver, the blood pounding in her ears. After a long wait the operator's mechanical voice came back over the wire. No, Mr. Dunbar

wouldn't be at the club to-day. The operator had just learned Mr. Dunbar was leaving on the Century for New York.

Susan thanked her and stumbled out of the booth. So he had meant what he said yesterday about leaving town. She had thought it the idlest sort of threat. Bob had spoken recklessly about shipping on a tramp steamer for Central America. Oh, she must stop him before it was too late!

"The Twentieth Century leaves at 12:40 from the LaSalle Street station, doesn't it?"

The clerk behind the counter stammered, "I'm sure I don't know, Miss."

The huge clock in the corner testified to the fact it was 10 minutes past 10. Susan had not realized that breakfast had been so late. She flew back to the house. "I'm going down town," she told Mrs. Milton. "I don't know when I'll be back."

"What time is it your aunt gets in?"

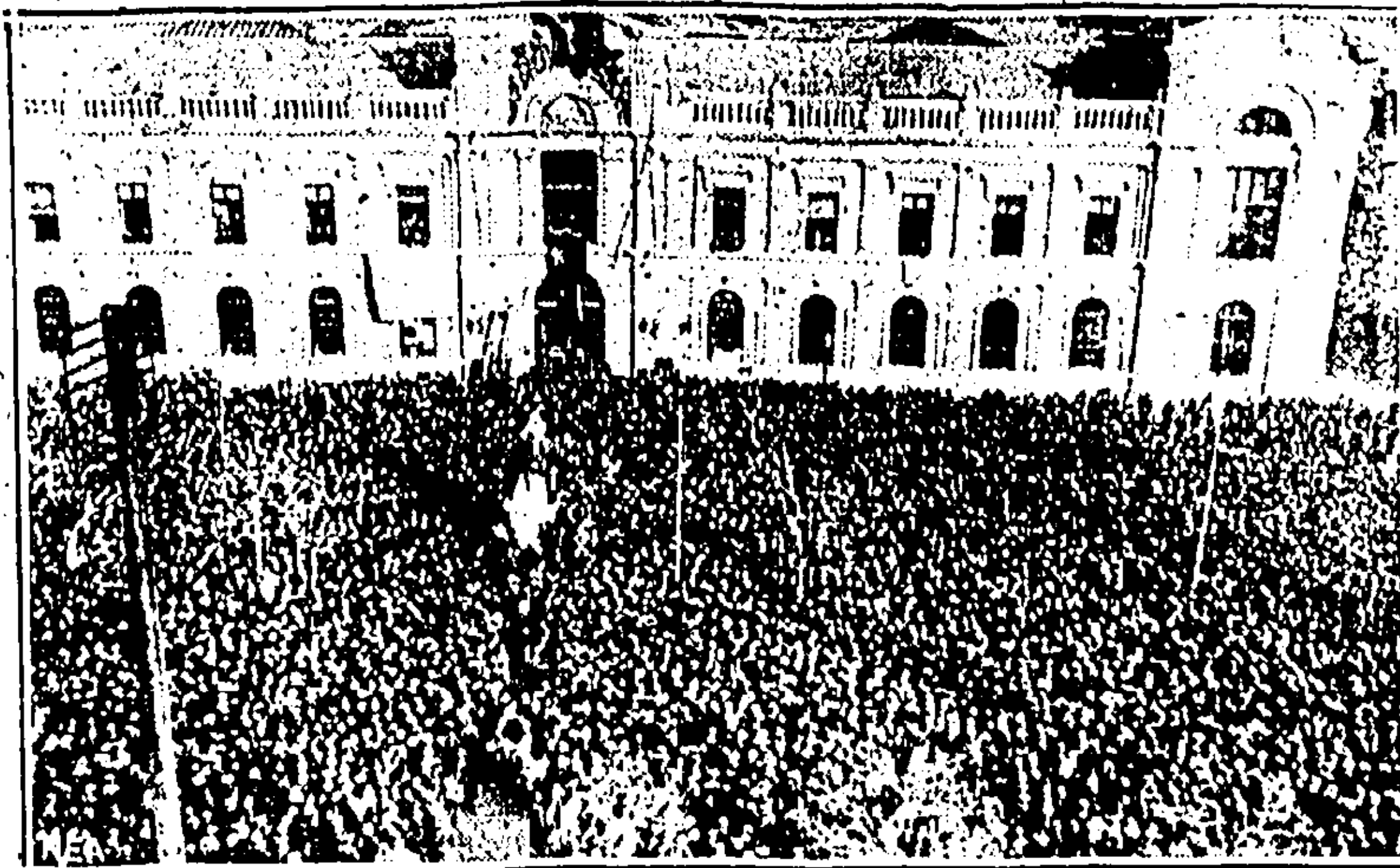
"To-night at eight." The girl laughed aloud. She had completely forgotten about Aunt Jessie. Well, that was all right. She would have plenty of time for that later. The thing to do now was to catch Bob at the station. She changed her clothes and dressed with meticulous care. The fawn-coloured suit hanging in the closet tempted her but she ignored it. Instead

she put on her old blue coat with the beaver collar. It was a cold, damp day and the moisture brought out the waviness in her cloudy dark hair. She smiled at herself in the glass, not ill pleased at the reflection. She was shabby, it is true, but some how it didn't seem to matter. She was conscious of a deep surge of happiness within her.

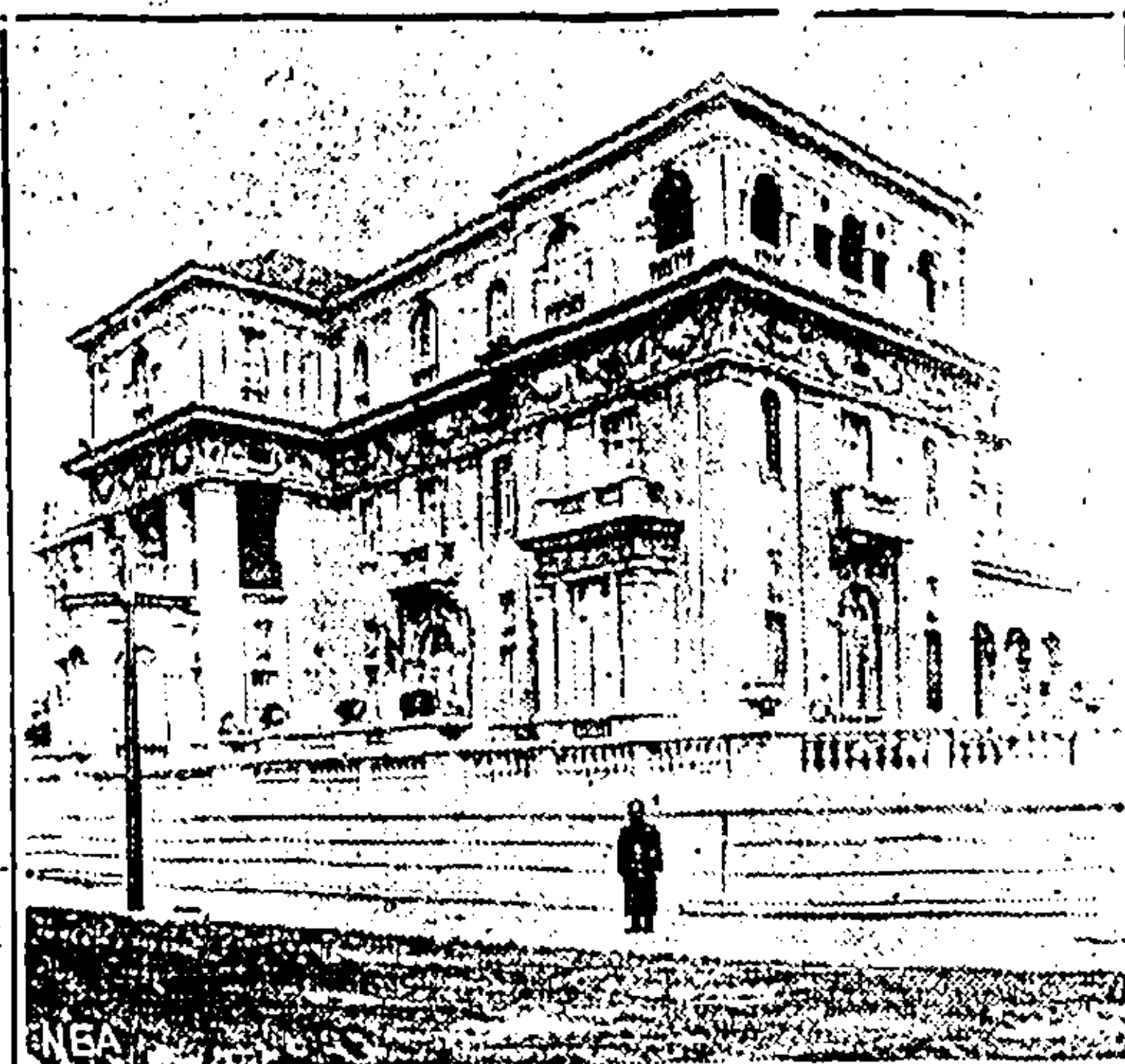
She was dressed and ready with time to spare, but in spite of the fact she became horribly nervous as the trolley jerked and dawdled its way down town. What if she should miss Bob? What if he should change his plans and leave from another station? She paled at the thought. It was not quite 12 o'clock when Susan reached the station. All at once her errand seemed undignified and foolish. He might be travelling with other people. He might not want to see her after their quarrel yesterday. Her face grew hot and her palms icy.

The wait seemed interminable. The big station with its rows of wooden benches, its gloomy reaches of space, oppressed her. She watched, fascinated, a little group of foreigners who had alighted from an eastern train and now stood, ill at ease and restless, waiting for tardy relatives. One of the women wore a yellow scarf tied around her greying hair, gypsy fashion.

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Tumultuous scenes in Santiago during the recent revolution.



The American Embassy in Santiago, the scene of a series of anxious conferences among foreign residents during the recent upheavals.



Captain Frank Hawks, after his recent crash. He is almost completely recovered from his severe injuries.



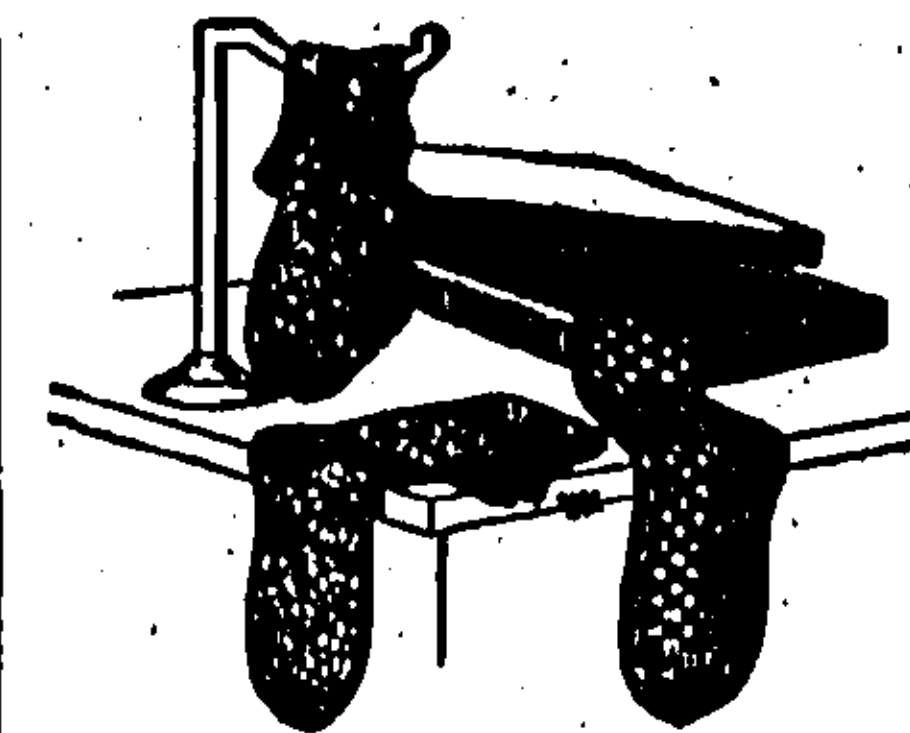
"Washington's Face" carved by Nature, from New Jersey cliff.



Amelia Earhart, chatting to cottagers in the North of Ireland, near Londonderry, and reading batches of congratulatory messages on her brilliant solo flight across the Atlantic.



Amelia Earhart and her husband, Mr. G. P. Putnam, in Paris after her Atlantic flight.

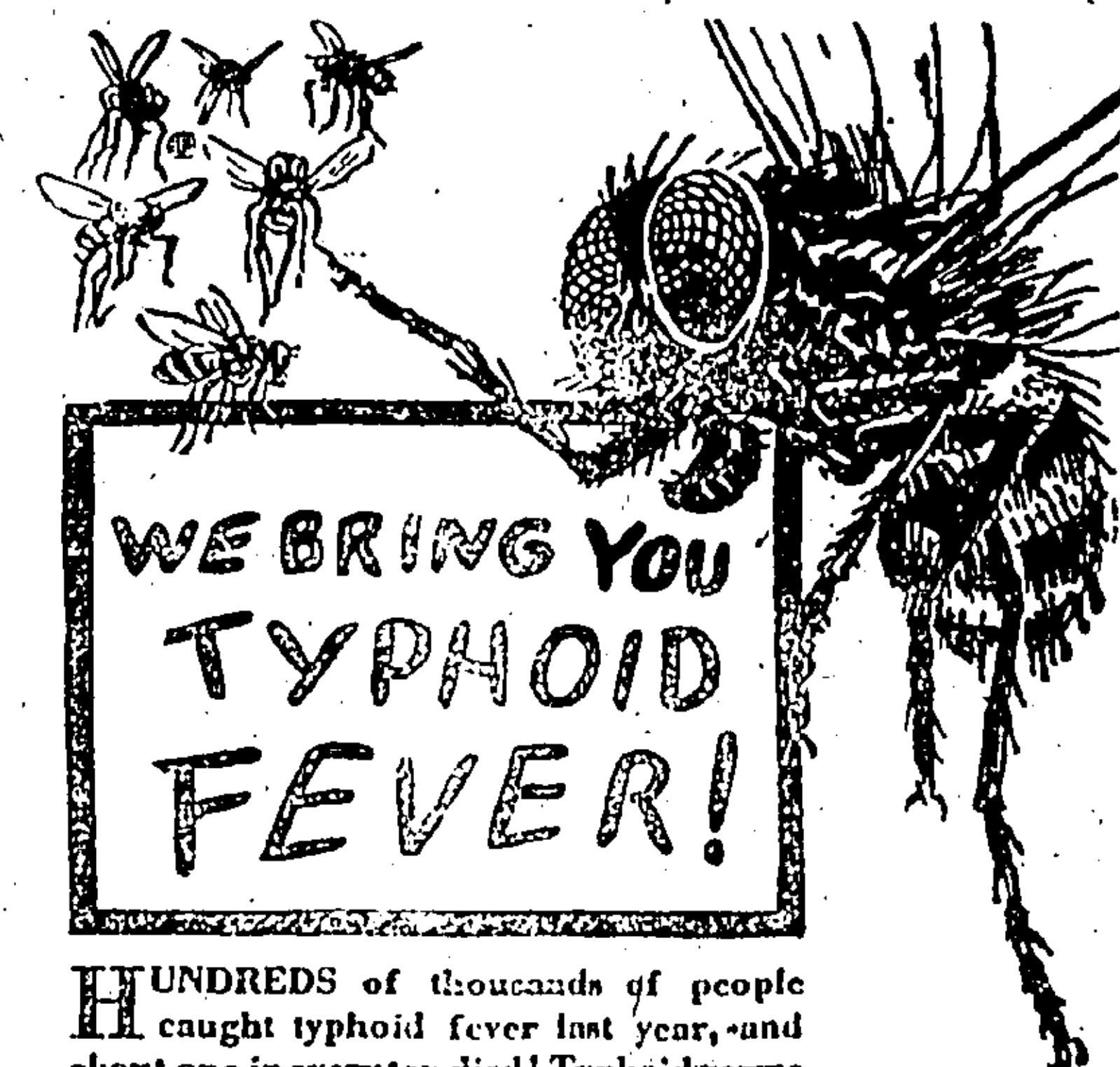


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By Order of the Board,

L. C. F. BELLAMY,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 22nd July, 1932.

SUNDAY, July 31st.

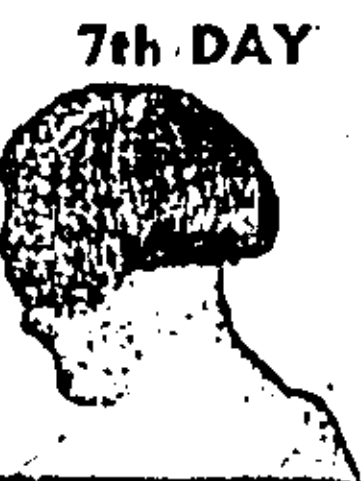


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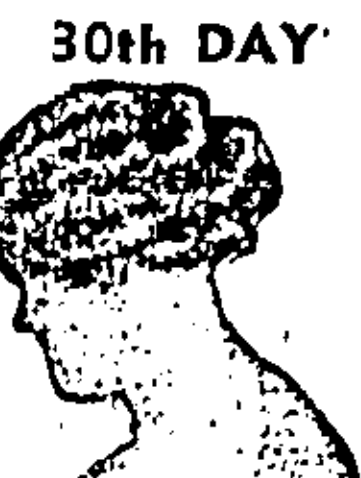
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POST OFFICE NOTICE

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Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "Via-Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Calcutta and Straits	Talma	July 26.
Shanghai and Swatow	King Yuan	July 26.
Shanghai	Eumaeus	July 26.
Batavia	Tinegara	July 26.
Shanghai	Allpore	July 27.
Manila via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 30th June and	Emp. of Canada	July 27.
Parcels, 23rd June	Ranpura	July 27.
Japan	Nellere	July 27.
Japan	Kamo Maru	July 29.
Japan and Shanghai	Mantua	July 29.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 9th July)	Pres. Cleveland	July 29.
Calcutta and Straits	Suisang	July 30.
Salgoh	Porthos	August 2.
Japan and Shanghai	General Metzinger	August 2.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 10th July)	Empress of Russia	August 3.
Australia and Manila	Tanda	August 3.
Japan	Melbourne Maru	August 4.
Straits	Hakone Maru	August 5.
Japan and Shanghai	Katori Maru	August 5.
Japan and Shanghai	Tatsuta Maru	August 5.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 8th July)	Pres. Hayes	August 6.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Samahai and Wuchow	Kong So	Mon., July 26, 4 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Burdwan	Mon., July 26, 5 p.m.
Poochow	Huichow	Tues., July 27, 8.30 a.m.
*Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tjisadane	Tues., July 26, 9.30 a.m.
Straits	Hong Peng	Tues., July 26, 12.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiching	Tues., July 26, 1 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jackson	Tues., July 26, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow	Norviken	Tues., July 26, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., America and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia	Chiehbiu Maru	Wed., July 27, 2.30 p.m.

Swatow	Shantung	Wed., July 27, 1.30 p.m.
Manila	Eumaeus	Wed., July 27, 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Tai Yuan	Wed., July 27, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Talma	Wed., July 27, 5 p.m.
Haiphong	Deli Maru	Thurs., July 28, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Canton	Thurs., July 28, 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Hydrangea	Thurs., July 28, 3 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B.C. and Europe via Siberia	Tinegara	Thurs., July 28, 3.30 p.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Empress of Canada	Fri., July 29.
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane	Parcels	July 29, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	July 29, 0.15 a.m.
	Letters	July 29, 10 a.m.
	(Due Vancouver B.C., 16th Aug.)	

*Shanghai	Conte Rosso	Fri., July 29, 10 a.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Kamo Maru	Fri., July 29.
	Reg.	July 29, 11.45 a.m.
	Letters	July 29, 12.30 p.m.
	(Due Thursday Island, 10th Aug.)	

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Fri., July 29, 2 p.m.
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane	Nellere	Sat., July 30.
	Parcels	29th 5 p.m.
	Reg.	July 29, 5 p.m.
	Letters	July 29, 8.30 a.m.
	(Due Brisbane, 10th August)	

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Mantua	Sat., July 30.
	K.P.O.	
	Parcels	29th 4.30 p.m.
	Registration	30th 9 a.m.
	Letters	30th 10 a.m.
	G.P.O.	
	Parcels	29th 5 p.m.
	Registration	30th 9.45 a.m.
	Letters	30th 10.30 a.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 26th August)	

Manila	Pres. Cleveland	Sat., July 30, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., July 31, 9 a.m.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Sun., July 31, 9 a.m.

Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B.C.	Hikawa Maru	Mon., Aug. 1.
	Reg.	Aug. 1, 11.15 a.m.
	Letters	Aug. 1, Noon.
	(Due Vancouver B.C., 22nd Aug.)	
	Ship sails on 2nd Aug. at 7 a.m.	

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haikang	Tues., July 2, 1 p.m.
Port Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Tonkin	Tues., Aug. 2, 1.30 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Porthos	Tues., Aug. 2, 2 p.m.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	General Metzinger	Tues., Aug. 2.

	K.P.O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 2, 1 p.m.
	Letters	Aug. 2, 1 p.m.
	G.P.O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 2, 1.45 p.m.
	Letters	Aug. 2, 2.30 p.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 3rd September)	

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt, and Europe via Marseilles	Sarpedon	Wed., Aug. 3.
	K.P.O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 3, 1 p.m.
	Letters	Aug. 3, 1 p.m.
	G.P.O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 3, 1.45 p.m.
	Letters	Aug. 3, 2.30 p.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 2nd September)	

Manila	Emp. of Russia	Wed., Aug. 3, 5 p.m.
	Superscribed Correspondence only.	

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Yaumati Ferries (old)	\$34 b.
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H. K. Electric	\$72¼ b.
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Sandakan Lights	\$12 n.
Telephones (F.P.)	\$38½ n.
Telephones (P.P.)	\$21.80 b.
China Buses	Tls.12 n.
Singapore Tractions	2/- n.
Singapore Pref.	12/6 n.

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Malabar Sugars	\$20 b.
Cald. Macr. (Ord.)	Tls.14 n.
Cald. Macr. (Pref.)	Tls.10½ n.
Canton Ices	\$6 n.
Cement (comb.)	\$16.60 b.
Cement (old)	\$11¼ b.
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Watsons (old)	\$14 n.
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China Realities	Tls. 11.40 n.
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S'hai Cottons	Tls. 70 n.
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Wing On Textiles (S.)	\$155 n.

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Entertainments, \$13¼ n.
S. C. Enterprises, \$3¼ n.
Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n.
Wallace Harpers, \$12.00 n.
Constructions (old), \$6.45 n.
Constructions (new), \$1.70 n.
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\$2.50 Fancy Clox Silk Hosiery	1.30 pair
\$1.75 Shanghai Silk Hosiery	1.00 pair
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The girl who is taking off her jacket is dressed for the office, but she doesn't need to be afraid to meet anybody. Her white crepe de chine dress, with its tiny sleeves, is decorated with little beads of green, yellow, red and royal blue, hemstitched on the dress. The dress is fitted with a svelt line and belted. The jacket is royal blue and uses the colour motif of the beads on the sleeves.

This frock is cool and refreshing, and the beads give it just the right splash of excitement to merit a second glance.

The girl who is telephoning is wearing a tan bark coloured non-crushable linen outfit which features a jacket with short sleeves that give a cape effect. The jacket buttons snugly at the waistline with a double-breasted effect.

A large white pique bow, on the neck of the dress, shows outside the jacket, tying up the whole ensemble with an effective flair that succeeds in retaining its touch of smartness.

HAIR AND VEILS.

Return to Smart Hairdressing.

There is at the moment in Paris a very noticeable return to real hairdressing, at any date, for the evening. The women who still have long hair, as well as some of those who have managed to grow their hair again, now pile it high on their heads or coil it in long plaits. Indeed, there is every sign that dressing the hair for the evening will become an arduous task.

The two rows of sausage curls running diagonally across the head give an interesting silhouette from almost any angle, and make this coiffure of sufficient importance for evening clothes.

A blonde head seen with this coiffure was charming. Eliminating the wave entirely from the back, large soft undulations are made at the sides, and the ends are curled in a definite curl behind the ear. For the girl who insists upon long hair, Paris has devised this charming way of handling it. The long ends are crossed and pinned low at the neck, while the

short ends over the ears are curled in definite rolls.

An interesting development of the waxing of the hair which was popular last year consists in plastering it smoothly round and round the head, finishing in a slight cone on the top. The effect is that of a fine straw hat under which escape a few points of hair which are cut to the points of the lines of the face.

The new gossamer veils covering the forehead, only are often beautifully embroidered with false eyebrows, delicately tinted to the shade of the hair.

Another forehead veil is made with a single black velvet patch in the middle; others have patches in half moons and stars, while a coach-in-four appeared across the forehead of a pretty platinum blonde, who attracted much attention at the races the other day.

BRIGHTER BATH-ROOMS.

Face flannels may now be obtained in almost any colour and design, and the latest idea is to have flannels to match one's bath mat. The mats are made of rubber, similar to that which forms bath "footbaths"; they are coloured in bright designs, and the flannels are dyed to match.

CHANGE.

Desires Realised Too Late.

If you ever want to know just how changeable you are, try this plan.

Look back, and if your memory is not very reliable, consult any old diaries or letters or photographs or anything else you may possess which might help you to remember the details you want to recall.

Deliberately collect the desires you have had, the ambitions you cherished, and the dreams you hoped would come true, and compare your feeling towards these things now.

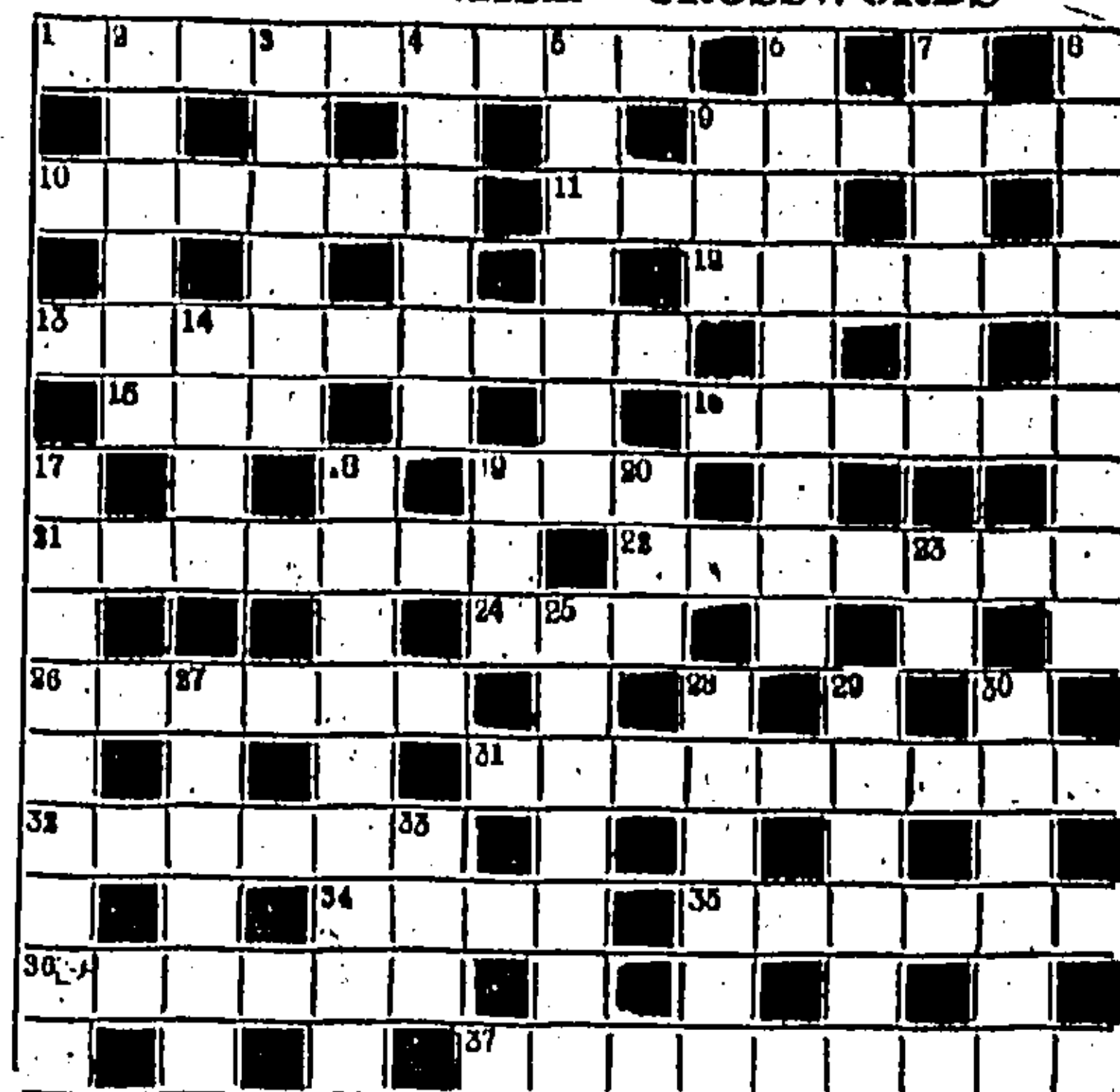
You will probably be amazed at the number of times your feeling is one of intense relief that some particular wish was not fulfilled or ambition realised.

No more cruel jest could be played by Fate upon certain people than to grant them some of their desires just too late.

There are people whom Destiny appears to mock in this fashion.

Their darling desires are realised one after another as soon as they have reached the point of realising their futility.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across

- 1 It is (to put it mildly) rash to let a great novelist take second place to a jester.
- 9 A priest may be found in this epithet for judgment.
- 10 A sort of leather (ask a book-binder).
- 11 Part of a horse that crouks.
- 12 Got bigger and bigger, and apparently expire in the small hours.
- 13 Hesitant, but after losing its head, ought to be making a change.
- 15 To make a tuber of this, you must—no to speak—"rebut" it.
- 16 You might blame the tailor for this, but scarcely the doctor (two words).
- 19 The part of 31 Across that supplies the rest.
- 21 Item.
- 22 "O Company" appears to be an alternative position for this tropical river.
- 24 Quantity frequently sold.
- 26 Wine.
- 29 Not the tidiest feature of the stylish.
- 31 Assists your progress in a boat, and lands you in hospital.
- 32 Get to a marine in a liner for terrible weather.
- 34 A Shakespearean character.
- 35 Prosper.
- 36 In error, one of Mr. Wallace's seems to have got mixed up in it.
- 37 As a rule, with a bit of banter at the finish.

Down

- 2 A Midland town: old convicts would not pick it for choice.
- 3 Often styled unseemly, although a very respectable old tribe started it.
- 4 Goddess of the dawn.
- 5 Sport at heart, though no longer living.
- 6 Foxglove with anything from 1

to 9 on top.

- 7 On your this is to support you, though it sounds like a 50 per cent. shrinkage.
- 8 To pay it costs nothing (apart from possible breach of promise).
- 9 Requires a French Marshal to become a British Admiral.
- 14 Survive after all the rest.
- 17 "Old John of Gaunt, time-honoured—" ("Richard II.")
- 18 When applied to a farce it's not betokening terror.
- 19 Is that why peel is so slippery?
- 20 The kind of crib the schoolboy gave up long ago.
- 23 May be the prelude to perjury.
- 25 Upshot.
- 27 Love-affairs.
- 28 Epithet for a reader.
- 29 If you sacrificed a hundred, you might find it in Corsica: anyhow try a warm spot in Slilly.
- 30 The schoolboy named this Wessex spot as the Surrey Headquarters.
- 33 Turn up the gas and find it!

Saturday's Solution.

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PAGEANT NATHAN
EIGHT TAGS EU
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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

A. O. F. C. QUOTATIONS FOR SATURDAY

New York, July 23.

Dow Jones Averages: July 22 July 23

30 Industrials	47.69	47.84
20 Rails	17.49	17.42
20 Utilities	18.98	18.99

Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co. report:—

The market is steady. Business done—400,000 shares.

Air Reduction	Last Price	To-day's Price
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Allied Chemical & Dye	49%	49%
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American Can	34%	34%
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Telephone	76%	77
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American Tobacco	67%	67%
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Auburn	64%	64%
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Borden Company	24%	25
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Canadian Pacific	11%	12%
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Consolidated Gas of New York	39%	39%
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Drugs, Inc.	29%	30%
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Du Pont de Nemours	24	24
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Eastman Kodak	38%	39
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General Electric	11	11
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General Foods	22%	23
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General Motors	9%	9
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International Harvester	13%	14%
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International Tel. & Tel.	5%	5%
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Liggett & Myers "B"	47	46%
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Loew's Inc.	19%	19%
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Pacific Gas & Electric	22	21%
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Pennsylvania Railway	9%	9%
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Radio Corporation	4%	4
Scars Reebuck	13%	13%
Standard Oil Company of N. J.	27%	28%
Socony-Vacuum Corp.	9%	9%
Union Carbide & Carbon	18%	18%
Union Pacific	36%	36%
United Aircraft & Trans	10%	10%
United States Steel	24%	24%
Westinghouse E. & M.	19%	19%

—Router.



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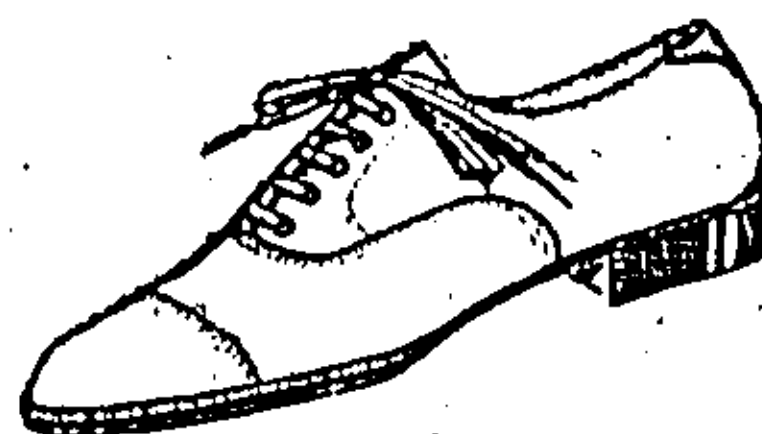
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THE HONGKONG HOTEL GARAGE

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The Hongkong Telegraph

MONDAY, JULY 25, 1932.

THE WHITE SCOURGE

Tuberculosis, a disease which takes a heavy toll of life in Hongkong, continues to be the subject of much concern in Great Britain, where, despite stringent measures to combat it, the death-roll totals about 40,000 a year. Much is being done by sanatorium treatment, but local authorities which run these institutions have no power to keep patients under treatment. The result, in many cases, is that when there are signs of improvement, the patients want to return to their homes, where they are not able to be looked after so well as in these special institutions. In this way, a good deal of the work done by sanatorium treatment is made of less effect than it would otherwise be. One medical man, we see, thinks that too much is made of what he terms "the sanctity of the home." He points out that in some countries people affected with tuberculosis are not permitted to live with their families, and concludes that Britain will eventually have to deal with the problem on similar lines.

It may not be generally known that local authorities in England are already empowered to apply to a court of summary jurisdiction for the compulsory removal of any person suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis in an infectious state where the patient's accommodation is such that proper precautions cannot be taken to prevent the spread of infection, and where serious risk of infection is caused to other people. These powers, however, are seldom used, possibly on the ground of sentimentality. In this connexion, it has been pointed out that the cruelty of removing a parent from his or her children is as nothing compared with the cruelty of infecting young people. Something is being done by rehousing sufferers in better homes and in stressing the importance of consumptives having a room to themselves. As to the causes of the disease, these are mostly associated with poverty, dirt, overcrowding and ignorance. Chronic overwork, improper feeding, and worry are also known factors. Direct inhalation from a person suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis is

said to be the commonest form of infection. In the case of children, milk from tuberculous cows is a cause of bone and joint disease. While it is estimated that about forty per cent. of the cows in England are tuberculous, only from one to two per cent. yield tuberculous milk. The registration of dairies provides excellent opportunities for tracking such milk, and it may be noticed that local authorities have power to prohibit consumptives from handling dairy products.

It has to be remembered, of course, that in tuberculosis we are dealing with a disease which, starting with infection by the tubercle germ, is yet dependent on other factors for its development. A large proportion of the urban population in Britain, possibly up to ninety per cent., has been infected with the tubercle bacillus at the age of maturity, yet only seven or eight per cent. develop the disease. The active cause of the breakdown in such instances is usually anything which seriously impairs a person's vitality. By slow degrees, the disease is being countered, but complete victory is still a long way off. Housing reform and sanatorium treatment are the most effective agencies for battling with the disease, and as time goes on it is confidently felt that the present relatively high rate of mortality will be materially reduced.

Must Women Smoke?

Fashion is not only a hard task-mistress but a crafty one, who rules most rigidly those who fondly believe they rule her. She has been laughing up her sleeve the last few years at women who some time ago would not have dared to smoke in private nor dared in public, but who now do not dare not to. And it may be amusing to Dame Fashion to recall that many of them took up the cigarette fad as a gesture of independence—to note that the woman who once blew smoke in the face of convention now knows what it is to have convention blow it in hers. It takes no more than casual observation to convince one that many women smoke against their will. If not, why do they contort their usually pleasing features into such odd and unattractive patterns? People are expected to look so only when swallowing their first oysters, sitting on disintegrating rocking chairs, or posing for flashlight photographs. This is not to say that women who feel obliged to smoke despite repugnance to the practice should not continue to make faces while doing so; certainly they should have some liberty. One cannot help wondering, though, what has become of that independence which they sought to declare with the aid of the cigarette. Observant persons sometimes remark that at many places where men and women gather in the name of fashion there is more smoking done among their escorts. How is one to account for this? Is it that many women smoke for fear of being thought unfashionable? The men are inclined to think that is the answer, and to comment that the ladies who turned to smoking as a means of making themselves "equal" with men have sacrificed the freedom of refusing a cigarette. Naturally the men are beginning to feel superior again, at least in this respect.

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market on Saturday has been received by Messrs. Penbreath and Co.

London Terminals.
August 1932 6/1½ up ¼d.
December 1932 6/3¼ down ¼d.
March 1933 6/6½ up ¼d.
May 1933 6/8 no change.
Buyers at above prices, sellers asking ¼d-½d more.

New York Terminals.
No quotations.
Sourabaya (23/7/32).—Trust sold further 4,000 tons Whites at F6.00, also 16,000 tons Browns, price not quoted.

DAY BY DAY

EXPERIENCE IS THE ONLY MASTER, ALTHOUGH THE SCHOOL FEES ARE SOMEWHAT HEAVY.—Richter.

The P. and O. s.s. Ranpura, from Singapore with the English mails, is due here at noon on Wednesday.

A Manila Observatory warning issued at 8.15 a.m. to-day states that a typhoon is situated more than 300 miles east of Luzon, moving W. or W.N.W.

During the week-end a thief entered a cabin occupied by Mr. Harland, Chief officer of H.M.S. Pearl, alongside the Royal Naval Dockyard, and stole a fountain pen and pencil valued by the owner at \$30.

Among departures by the Sirdhana were Senor J. C. Mognaschi and his wife. Senor Mognaschi goes to Calcutta to take up the appointment of Consul for Peru, after three years in Hongkong as Chancellor of the Peruvian Consulate.

Before Mr. Wynne-Jones, a 15-year-old Chinese boy was charged to-day with the unlawful possession of an umbrella which was believed to have been stolen. The prosecuting police officer, Inspector Russell, explained that a detective saw the boy trying to pawn the umbrella, which, the Inspector countered, was unusual procedure on a rainy day. The lad was cautioned in view of his age, and the Inspector was directed to retain the umbrella until the owner could be found.

Despite a hurried, last-minute change in the programme, due to the non-arrival of the advertised film, the King's Theatre management provided patrons with excellent entertainment yesterday. "Two Kinds of Women" was the picture screened, and it was quite an entertaining study. The theme is not strong, but the most was made of it by such favourites as Miriam Hopkins, Phillip Holmes, Wynne Gibson, and Irving Pichel. Admirably produced, with plenty of movement, "Two Kinds of Women" can be recommended.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Big Fish Caught At Sham Tseng.

[To the Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.]

Sir,—It is to be regretted that the gentlemen who sent you a photograph of a big fish caught off Sham Tseng, which was published in your pictorial Supplement on Saturday, appear to have mistaken the fish for a cod. A glance shows it to be of the family of fish known as the Scombridae, which includes the giant mackerels and tunny fish. A closer examination of the photo and the weight and size indicate that it is one of the so-called Spanish Mackerels, *Scomber sp.*, which occur in different parts of the Pacific and China Sea, and run to an average of 30 lbs. In these parts, a similar species has been taken off the Great Barrier Reef, off Queensland, running up to 100 lbs.

Some years ago, I knew a man who used to troll for them from a yacht off the east coast of the Malay Peninsula using fish from eight inches to a foot long as bait, and his catches used to average over 20 lbs. apiece. With wire lines and several hooks, it was not unusual for him to hook two at a time of these huge Spanish Mackerel.—Yours, etc., V. J.

A MAZE OF PROBLEMS

POLICY AT OTTAWA

By SIR ARTHUR SALTER.

THE preparations for the Ottawa Conference have been elaborate. It will be richly equipped in personnel. The public expectations are high. The difficulties—and the dangers—are alike great. For failure would be another shattering blow to confidence and perhaps an element of poison in Imperial relations; and a proclaimed success of a certain kind might later prove as bad as failure.

What does success mean? It means, I suggest, for Ottawa, as for every other Conference of this period, that the net result is an increase in the total volume of trade, the total mass of profitable exchanges; and this total must include internal trade, reciprocal (Imperial) trade, and external (foreign) trade alike. If Imperial trade is increased without equal or greater loss of our opportunities of trade with other countries, well and good. But an increase at the cost of greater reduction elsewhere would be disastrous. We must add to the dimensions of the cake we have to share, not merely carve a larger slice out of a total cake no greater or diminished. Canada cannot afford to disrupt her trade with her great neighbour. We cannot afford to abandon our trade with either the Argentine, Scandinavia, Europe or the East.

This is a quite possible objective if we all pursue it with determination, and reject all policies inconsistent with it. For there are several ways in which we can increase Imperial trade without jeopardising foreign trade.

One of the most valuable results of Ottawa which would help to this end might be to obtain a concerted monetary policy. This does not mean a single Empire currency, a common Imperial Central Bank and all that would imply. For the time it would be enough for us all to agree upon a definite objective in our policy. I do not think this would be difficult. I think it should be that of increasing the general level of wholesale prices to some clearly fixed point not higher than that of 1929. It is true we agreed and declared, a stable relation between our currencies would follow almost automatically, and could easily be secured, with negligible fluctuations, in practice. With such a basis we could enlarge the sterling area by similar understandings or agreements till it covered half the world. And with this strength behind us (or perhaps at once) we could co-ordinate our policy with America, who is already proceeding along this line, but with much greater difficulty, because the policy of other countries is uncertain.

The advantages of this policy would be enormous. Combined with arrangements to break through, to break down, the present barriers to trade, it would restart economic activities and reduce the burden both of debt and fixed charges. And concerted in this way the dangers of an inflationary policy getting out of hand would be avoided.

There is much else, too, that can be usefully done before we come to the sphere of tariffs. The debt

problem might be tackled, for an increase of price will only mitigate, it cannot completely solve it. Imperial research and institutions can be usefully extended, in particular by the creation of a permanent Imperial economic organisation. The negotiations for a division of function between different kinds of industrial enterprise can be developed, each Dominion and ourselves undertaking not to foster, at least by tariff, certain classes of production.

It is on tariffs and preferences, however, that public attention has, perhaps unhappily, been mainly concentrated. If we are not to suffer serious disillusionment, we must understand very clearly some of the conditions upon which the negotiations can alone proceed. Many people, misled by the phrase "Empire Free Trade," and ignorant of the extent to which the Dominions have been industrialised under tariff protection, are under the illusion that the volume of trade can be immensely increased by the preferential entry of food and raw materials from the Dominions here, and the preferential entry of our manufactures into the Dominions. They must realise that the Dominions have never for a moment intended, and cannot be expected, to let us seriously compete with the industries they mean to maintain. A preference upon such articles as would in any case come from outside, yes; but that is a much more limited affair. There is also some reason to fear a serious divergence in the point of view from which we and they are approaching the negotiations. We now have a general tariff, from which we have provisionally exempted the Dominions. We shall naturally inquire what new preferences we may expect in return for an extension of this exemption. But they may expect to negotiate from the present basis, including the exemption, and ask what new advantages we shall give each other.

It may well prove in these circumstances that it will not be possible to conclude an agreement which will result in more than a moderate increase in the volume of trade with each other. Even that will be a success, though a limited one, on one vital condition, namely, that it is not based on an understanding that we will maintain high tariffs against foreign countries. Such an understanding would be fatal to our bargaining power with countries with whom agreements are vital to us. We must be free to make such arrangements as will maintain our trade with such countries as the Argentine and Scandinavia, with whom our trade is complementary rather than competitive and of the greatest value to us. But such arrangements may well be difficult to reconcile with the kind of preferential entry the Dominions may ask for their produce. We must also be able to take advantage of what is likely to be a greater opportunity than we have ever had of bargaining down European tariffs, as has been indicated by the remarkable initiative of Belgium and Holland and the recent news from France. But to bargain we must be as free to reduce tariffs as to impose them. Here, perhaps, the difficulty will be less, if we are careful and determined, for while the Dominions are determined to manufacture for their own markets, they do not in general expect to export industrial products to Europe.

This then, in my view, should be the basic principle of all our policy: we must increase the volume of trade with the Dominions in such a way that the total volume of our whole trade (including both the Dominions and foreign countries) is greater than it would otherwise be. If we achieve this we succeed; if we do not, we fail; and failure would mean long enduring regrets, of which the consequences would necessarily be felt in every sphere of Imperial relations.

WATER LEVELS.

WEST NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water in English feet on the dates named in the West North and East Rivers: Highest on Lowest July

	record.	on record.	23	24
West River at Shihing ..	+41.7	0	18.9	14.1
North River at Tungyuen ..	+26.4	0	7.8	6.4
North River at Samshui ..	+17.8	-5.5	6.1	—
East River at Shihung ..	+15.6	-2.5	4.2	6.2



"I didn't think so much of Europe."

HONGKONG TRADE
FIGURESUPWARD TREND IN
VOLUME

BUYING BRITISH

A steady improvement in the volume of the trade of the Colony, despite the current world depression, is revealed in the latest official statistics, covering the first half of 1932. In particular, there is a welcome advance in British imports.

The returns, issued by the Statistical Branch of the Imports and Exports Department, show that the declared values of merchandise imported into Hongkong during the first half year of 1932 amounted to \$335.4 millions, as compared with \$367.0 millions in the first half year of 1931, while exports totalled \$242.3 millions as compared with \$272.7 millions.

In terms of sterling values, however, both imports and exports showed increases, imports in the first half year of 1932 amounting to £22.1 millions as compared with £17.7 millions, and exports to £13.2 millions.

BRITAIN'S RISE.

Excluding imports from China, the largest share of the import trade was credited to the United Kingdom. In 1930 the British share was 9.1% in the first six months of 1931 it was 12.0% and in the first half of this year it rose still further to 13.8%.

The Netherlands East, India, U.S.A., French Indo-China, Siam, India and Belgium all recorded slightly increased shares of the total, while the Australian share notably advanced from 0.8% to 2.2%.

Imports from Japan declined heavily. In 1930 they accounted for 12.3% of the total, falling to 10.0% in the first half of last year and 2.9% this year, on account of the Chinese boycott of Japanese goods.

HALF YEARLY COMPARISONS.

In the following table the total values of imports and exports of merchandise are given in £s and \$s millions for the first six months of the years 1923/32:—

	Imports	Exports
1923	£29.9	£30.2
	\$262.2	\$264.4
1924	£36.4	£43.5
	\$309.4	\$284.8
1925	£30.8	£29.3
	\$268.6	\$255.6
1931	£17.7	£13.2
	\$367.0	\$272.7
1932	£22.1	£13.2
	\$335.4	\$242.3

JUNE FIGURES.

Imports of merchandise into Hongkong during the month of June amounted to a value of \$50.1 millions (£3,144,093) as compared with \$57.3 millions (£2,745,420) in June of last year, representing a decrease of \$7.2 millions or 12.6%.

Exports were valued at \$33.6 millions (£2,111,643), a decrease of \$10.2 millions (£2,101,421) or 23.5 per cent. It will be seen, however, that the sterling values are increased.

DEATH OF MR. N. M.
BUXPOPULAR INDIAN
RESIDENT

By the death of Mr. N. M. Bux, at the French Hospital at 3 o'clock this morning, the local Indian community has suffered the loss of one of its most popular members. Mr. Bux was the manager of the Victoria Printing Press. News of his death will come as a surprise to his many friends. He was stricken down a fortnight ago with fever and sank rapidly.

Mr. Bux was well known in sporting circles, being a brother of the one time champion pugilist, Iron Bux. In his younger days he turned out regularly for the Indian Recreation Club Cricket and lawn bowls teams and in more recent years he served on the Committee of that Club. He was also a member of the Craykegower Cricket Club. The sympathy of Mr. Bux's many friends will be extended to his widow and family of six children. The funeral takes place this evening at the Mohammedan Cemetery at 5.30 p.m.

For having boarded the s.s. Kalyan without the permission of the master, an unemployed Chinese was fined \$10 or one week's imprisonment by the Hon. Comdr. Ho, at the Marine Court this morning.

CLEVELAND CLIMB OVER
MACK-BOYSCincinnati Destined for
Doormat

New York, July 24. Back Wilson (Dodgers), Moore (Cubs), Hemmley (Cubs), Suhr (Pirates), Fothergill (Chicago White Sox), Brown and Crowlly (Cleveland), Sewell (Yankees), Walker and Riehl (Detroit), Goslin (St. Louis Browns) and Alexander (Boston Red Sox) scored home runs today. Several double-headers were played. Only the Cardinals and the Indians took both games. Results:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston	4	12	0
New York	3	9	1
Boston	3	12	0
New York	7	13	3
Brooklyn	5	9	0
Philadelphia	4	8	1
Chicago	7	13	2
Pittsburgh	2	7	0
Chicago	5	11	1
Pittsburgh	7	12	0
Cincinnati	3	10	2
St. Louis	7	13	2
Cincinnati	0	6	2
St. Louis	1	6	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago	7	17	4
Cleveland	9	11	3
Chicago	6	16	2
Cleveland	9	14	0
New York	9	11	1
Philadelphia	3	7	2
St. Louis	2	5	9
Detroit	6	8	0
St. Louis	10	14	3
Detroit	7	14	2
Washington	12	18	1
Boston	6	11	4

COLLAR-BONE TRICK
ALLEGED

INSURANCE FRAUD CHARGES

The use of a physical peculiarity to obtain £1,066 by fraud from insurance companies was alleged against Ernest Page, aged 18, an engineer, of London-avenue, Wembley, N.W., at the Mansion House.

He was charged with obtaining a policy from the Norwich Union Insurance Society, Ltd., by fraud, and attempting to obtain £127 10s. with intent to defraud.

Mr. Tristram Beresford, prosecuting, said Page had a disability by which he could simulate a fractured clavicle (collar-bone). Since 1923 he had made 11 fraudulent claims on insurance companies, and had been paid £1,066 10s. His claims totalled £2,268.

On February 10 a policy was issued to him by the Norwich Union Office. On March 8 he claimed for an "accident" resulting, he stated, in a broken clavicle. The company agreed to pay £127 10s., but when the claim was put before another company, with which the Norwich Union had a reinsurance agreement, the second company alleged that Page had recovered £75 from them in 1924 by a bogus accident.

He then took out a policy with the General Accident Assurance Corporation, promptly claimed for a "street accident" and was arrested.

Page was committed for trial.

CHOLERA CONCERN IN
PEKING.

OUTBREAK LIKELY TO
BECOME WORSE

Peking, July 24. The health authorities voice concern regarding the cholera situation here, which is expected to become worse after Friday's rainstorm.

They point out that the outbreak this year came much earlier than in the past.

Colonel Feng Chi-hai, son-in-law of the former Premier, Mr. Hsiung Hsi-ling, is the latest cholera victim, succumbing to the disease yesterday morning. —*Reuter.*

SIKONG'S APPEAL

ASSISTANCE TO REPEL
TIBETAN INVASION

Shanghai, July 24. The people of Sikong Province have sent an urgent appeal to the Government for assistance to repel the Tibetan invasion. They declare the Tibetans are preparing at Tekkeh for a counter offensive, and Dalai Lama himself is reported to be proceeding from Lassa to direct the campaign, while fresh military supplies are being sent to Tekkeh from Lassa.

It is requested that the Government despatch material to the Szechuenese generals to enable them to assist Sikong to repel the Tibetan attack. —*Reuter's Special.*



The late Mr. Florenz Ziegfeld, of "The Follies" fame, whose death has just been reported.

RICH BACHELOR'S
WILL FIGHTESTATE FOR
MONASTERY

A wealthy young man's will, bequeathing his estate to a Scottish monastery, is being challenged before Lord Merivale and a special jury in the Probate Court.

Mr. Cecil Alexander Henry Harrison, of Swanborough Manor, Lewes, Sussex, claimed that his brother, Mr. John Gordon Cuthbert Harrison, a bachelor who died at Turin, Italy, on August 27, 1931, was intestate, and that he (Mr. Cecil Harrison) was entitled to share in the estate.

The defendants were Barclays Bank, Limited, executors of the estate, and the trustees of the Community of Benedict Abbey, Fort Augustus, Inverness. They claimed that the late Mr. Harrison properly executed the will of March 1927, under which the Order of St. Benedict was the residuary legatee.

Suicide. Mr. Norman Birkett, K.C., for the bank and the trustees of the monastery, said Mr. Cecil Harrison alleged that his brother was always mentally deficient, never had testamentary capacity, was irresponsible, hysterical, degenerate, and gluttonous, and had perverted tastes even with regard to what he ate.

It was also alleged that he had suicidal tendencies, and did commit suicide.

Mr. Birkett contended that although Mr. John Harrison might in some respects have been rather unusual, his mind was perfectly clear and sound as to what he wanted to do with his property.

Under the will of his mother, who was Lady McDonnell by her second marriage, he had a life interest and general power of appointment in the whole of her estate.

It was alleged, Mr. Birkett continued, that Mr. John Harrison became estranged from his brother over an arbitration.

In 1913 Mr. Harrison's father petitioned for divorce, and Mrs. Harrison entered into a covenant that when Mr. John Harrison was 21 he should give up any benefit coming to him from his father's family. When he came of age, both his parents having died, there was an arbitration about this covenant, Mr. Cecil Harrison alleging that his brother John was illegitimate.

The hearing was adjourned.

FLORENZ ZIEGFELD.

DEATH OF FAMOUS THEATRE
SHOW MANAGER

Los Angeles, July 23. The death, from pneumonia, is announced of Florenz Ziegfeld, the well-known American stage and screen showman. —*Reuter's American Service.*

Florenz Ziegfeld was born in Chicago in 1869, and had a high school education, entering the theatrical business there in 1892. It was he who brought European military bands across for the Chicago World Fair in 1893, and did much in other ways to make the fair a success. Later he was manager for Sandow, the strong man. He produced the Ziegfeld Follies every year since 1907, producing many spectacular shows, the girls in which became world famous, and which made his name a household word. He was manager and lessee of several New York theatres, with his headquarters in the New Amsterdam.

ALLEGED SLANDER.

GERMAN SOCIALIST LEADERS
ARRESTED BY MILITARY

Berlin, July 23. The military officer commanding has ordered the arrest of the leaders of the Reichsbanner (Socialist) organisation, Major Harker and Herr Robert Brauer, who are accused of slandering the Reich Government. —*Reuter.*

ADVENTUROUS
WOMAN'S SUICIDEADOPTED TITLE AFTER
DIVORCE

The career of a woman of 50, who "adopted" a title, and was found dead from gas poisoning in a boarding-house in Torrington-square, Bloomsbury, was described at the inquest at Westminster.

Mr. Frederick John Matthews, a solicitor, of High Holborn, identified her as a woman whom he sometimes employed. He knew her as "Lady Madeline Paget." She always went in that name.

Her maiden name, Mr. Matthews said, was Ivy Armitage. She first married a Mr. Lloyd, and then a Mr. Pagis, who divorced her. Later she married a man who turned out to be already married, and who "slipped across the Equator." After that she adopted the name of Lady Madeline Paget.

"I rather want her to be put down as Lady Madeline Paget," Mr. Matthews continued. "She has two children, and if there is any property I should like them to have it."

Met At Tennis Club.

Mr. Ingleby Odde, the coroner, said he would certify her as Ivy Pagis known as Madeline Paget.

Mr. Matthews said that he had known the woman about 12 years. He was introduced to her at a tennis club. She was very capable, of fine intellect, and very entertaining, a "regular society kind of woman."

Phyllis Rees said she shared a room with the woman at the same boarding-house. On a recent Sunday evening she asked her (Miss Rees) to go out for half an hour as she wanted to get the police in. When asked why she wanted the police, she replied, "You will find out in time."

Miss Rees said that she went out to get some cigarettes, and on returning found the room full of gas and her friend lying face downwards with her head in the fireplace.

Mr. Odde. This woman had led a rather adventurous life, and finally found herself in debt and without money. She was obviously depressed and worried.

A verdict of Suicide while of Unsound Mind was recorded.

Mrs. Vincent, landlady of the house in Torrington-square, in which Mrs. Pagis lived, said last night.

"She was strikingly good-looking and youthful in appearance. One would have thought she was no more than 30. She never told me anything about her right to a title, but letters were addressed to her in that way. It was easy to believe she might have a title, for she seemed to be a woman who had come down in life."

HAY FROM THE SKY

MYSTERIOUS FALL
SEEN BY CROWDS

Exclamations of amazement burst from the lips of crowds of people in Bedford-road and Beartown-road, Hitchin, Hertfordshire, recently when little bundles which floated gently down to earth from a height of 500ft. in the sky turned out to be—newly gathered hay!

The phenomenon was first noticed about 6 p.m. when tiny objects seemed to detach themselves from a solitary cloud.

At first they looked like toy balloons or parachutes dropped from an invisible aeroplane. Then they seemed to "explode" and the mystified crowd assumed they were dummy shells used in target practice in the neighbourhood.

"Some timid watchers sought shelter; but then the mysterious 'puffs' settled and proved to be harmless."

"Some of the bundles were quite big," said Mr. Thomas Foster. "They fell over a wide area. There was practically no wind at the time and they floated to the ground almost vertically."

"It struck me that a whirlwind had lifted off half a hayrick and carried the hay just under the only cloud in the sky."

IRISH TARIFFS

FREE STATE DUTIES
BILL PASSED

Dublin, July 23. Mr. James McNeill, Governor-General of the Irish Free State, today formally assented to the Emergency Duties Bill passed by the Dail Eirann.

The new duties, which will be announced to-morrow, might come into operation on July 26.

The list of goods affected is believed to be short, but comprehensively covers all the principal exports from Britain, including coal, on which there will be an almost complete embargo. —*Reuter.*

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7-10.30 p.m. European Programme of Victor & H. M. V. records.

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7.3-7.50 p.m. Variety.

Orchestral—Running Between the Raindrops! (Hart Low & His Hotel Baltimore Orch.)

Orchestral—When You Fall in Love, Fall in Love with Me (Rudy Valco & His Connecticut Yankees)

Song—They All Make Love But Me (Song—Life's a Dream)

Instrumental—Hullabaloo (Comedienne) H1009.

Instrumental—Piano Pastime (Three Brothers Nehrning) H3017.

Song—Up in the Clouds (Song—I Kiss Your Hand, Madam) Austin Egan (Baritone) H3027.

Orchestral—Joy the Clown (Orchestral—Close Your Eyes) Ambrose and His Orchestra H1010.

Humorous Song—You Want Lovin', and I Want Love (Ann Penn) H3249.

Humorous Song—Spread a Few Bare Shoulders (Ann Penn) H3249.

Vocal Duet—Mama (From "Victoria & Her Husbands") (Vocal Duet—Mausele (From "Victoria & Her Husbands")

Clear Dances & Lullaby Waltzes H3016.

8 p.m. (Local Time & Weather Report).

7.50-8.20 p.m. Band Music.

(a) Air de Ballet (b) Callithrope (Chamblaine) (c) The Cymbeline (Chamblaine) Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards

Force in the Forest (Michaels) C1691.

National Game (Souza) H3101.

Wood Nymphs (Cantos) Souza's Band H3101.

Parade of the Tin Soldiers (Jesse) Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards H3051.

Until (Sanderson) A Perfect Day (Bond) Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards H3773.

8.20-9.50 p.m. The entire musical numbers of the Opera "The Mikado" (Gilbert & Sullivan) Recorded under the direction of Rupert D'Avy Carle D1172/D1182.

9.50-10.27 p.m. Selections from Opera.

Song—Trovatore—Pierce Plumes are Soaring (Verdi)

Song—Sampson and Delilah—My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice (Saint-Saens)

Band—Love Home (Contralto) 1422.

Band—Martha—Selection (Flutist) Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards C1473.

Song—Don Giovanni—Pretty Lady (Mozart) Song—Don Giovanni—Is a Maiden Fair and Slender (Mozart)

Orchestral—Aida—Fantasia (Verdi, arr. Tavan)

Orchestral—Weber & His Orchestra C2067.

Song—Mignon—Knevelst Thou the Land? (Thomas)

Song—Mignon—Here Am I in Her Boudoir (Thomas)

Lucresia Bori, (Soprano) 1301.

10.27 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.30 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above European programme are kindly supplied by Messrs. G. Moutrie & Co.

LIBERALS KEEP SEAT.

NORTH CORNWALL HELD
WITH INCREASED MAJORITY

London, July 23. The by-election in North Cornwall, caused by the death of Sir Donald Macdonald, was held to-day, the result being announced as follows:

Sir Francis Aoland (Lib.) 16,933

Lt.-Com. A. M. Williams (Cons.) 15,387

Majority 1,546

Previous figures were: Sir D. Maclean (Lib.) 16,864

Lt.-Com. A. M. Williams (Cons.) 15,326

Mr. A. Bennett (Lab.) 1,907

Majority 1,541

JAPANESE PARTIES
UNITE.

RIGHT AND LEFT WINGS
OF PROLETARIANS

Tokyo, July 24. There was a significant political movement during the week-end when the right and left wings of the Japanese Proletarian Party decided to unite under the name of the People's Socialist Party.

This act unifies the movement into a single party for the first time. The party opposes capitalism and fascism. —*Reuter's Special.*

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The following rules will govern the Competition:—

- 1.—The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
- 2.—The prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs submitted up to August 31st, 1932. In the event of two or more photographs being considered of equal merit, any or all of the prizes will be divided accordingly. The decision of the judges shall be final.
- 3.—The right to publish any or all of the entries in the *Telegraph Pictorial Supplement* is reserved.
- 4.—Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions will be ineligible.
- 5.—No photographs will be returned.
- 6.—Photographs, preferably in black and white, must be addressed to the Editor and must bear on back the name and address of competitor.
- 7.—No correspondence will be entered into in connexion with the Competition.
- 8.—The six "Agfa" cameras donated by Messrs. Walbel & Co. ("Defag") may only be competed for by local school-children. Each entry in this section must bear the name of the competitor together with that of his or her school.

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WIMBLEDON REFLECTIONS

COCHET LEARNS A LESSON & ADVANCES A THEORY

RECORD CROWD OF 24,000

London, July 2. The attendance of the general public during the first week of the Championships surpassed all previous records. On Thursday the attendance broke the existing ground record (of 1929), and this figure was itself exceeded by fifteen hundred on Saturday, when twenty-four thousand spectators were present during the afternoon. Nothing like it has ever been seen at Wimbledon before. The guests in the passages leading to the standing room round the centre court were larger than on a finals day, the free stands round No. 2 and 3 Courts were overflowing, and the casual wanderer experienced the greatest difficulty in catching a glimpse of the play on the outer courts.

MANY LATECOMERS.

The number of latecomers who turned up during the first week after five o'clock at the new half-price rate of admission exceeded all estimates of the Executive. The supply of tickets ran out on the second day. Consequently the standing room on the centre-court terraces was always full until late in the evening.

FRENCH RECORD GOES.

For the first time since 1924, France failed to win a place in the round of the last eight at Wimbledon. From that year until 1929, France dominated the Championship, Borotra, Lacoste and Cochet each winning the title twice, and Borotra reaching the final on five occasions all told.

COCHET LEARNS A LESSON.

At a dinner on the night of his defeat in the singles championship, H. Cochet intimated to his French companions that he intends to come over to England two weeks before the start of the 1933 Wimbledon in order to acclimatise his play to the lower bound on the grass. He frankly admitted that a champion player should be capable of overcoming such incidental matters as a change of surface; but gave it as his opinion that the entry for the men's singles championship at Wimbledon is now so formidable that an overseas player, even when protected from the strongest of the field through the process of "seeding," cannot now rely on having two or three easy matches in early rounds during which he can shape his strokes to the lower bound of the ball.

THEORY SUPPORTED.

The Frenchman's theory can certainly be supported in fact by this year's draw, one of the strongest ever competing in the fifty-two years' history of the Championships. Such fine players as Allison, Andrews, Bouussu, Gregory, Hughes, Hopman, de Kehriling, Maier, Menzel, Miki, Mangin, Satoh and Timmer all failed to win their places in the seeded "eight," and save in the case of nominated players of the same nationalities could all have found themselves in the same section of "sixteens" if the luck of the draw ordained it so. And even now we have not mentioned N. Sharpe or I. G. Collins, the conquerors of Cochet in 1931 and last week respectively.

INJURED PLAYERS.

Switzerland's two representatives at the Championships, H. C. Fisher and Mille. Payot were both suffering from foot trouble last week. Fisher who retired from the singles on his doctor's orders had blistered feet consequent on his gruelling match against G. de Stefani in the third round of the Davis Cup when the old Oxonian won a sensational victory by three sets to two in a match lasting three hours. Mille, Payot had displaced several bones in her foot while extending Mrs. Moody to an advantage set in the French championships and received the attention of a manipulator a few days before her match against Miss Stammers.

IMPRESSIVE RECORD.

H. C. Fisher has an impressive Davis Cup record for Switzerland this year. He won all six of his singles matches and two of the three doubles in which he competed. Playing against Belgium, Fisher beat van Zuylen and Iwols quite easily, and Gallopo and Landau (Monaco) in the next round. In the doubles match of the Switzerland-Monaco tie Gallopo and Landau led Aeschliman and Fisher by two sets to one, 6-4 and 6-40 and yet failed to win the match. Fisher can never have played so well in singles as against de Stefani and Palmieri in the third round of the Davis Cup. He beat Palmieri 6-8 6-4 1-6 6-1 6-3 after two hours and a half, and on the last day de Stefani (a finalist in the French championships eight days previously) 3-6 6-6 9-7 8-6 in three hours, during which the Italian held three match-points in the third set and failed to clinch the winning lead of 6-3 in the fifth set.

HIS BEST ACHIEVEMENT.

One of Fisher's best achievements which may not be equalled again for many years was his performance in reaching the round of the "last eight" at Wimbledon without loss of a set in 1925 while still an Oxford undergraduate.

WIMBLEDON LAUGHS.

Wimbledon crowds are quick to appreciate anything in the nature of humour where umpires are concerned. Last week one of the linesman's chairs collapsed and he fell to the ground. Picking himself up, he seized the chair, which promptly came to bits in his hand. Then, to the immense joy of the crowd, it was found that his grey tribby hat was underneath and had been completely mangled.

HUGE RECORD CROWD.

Their Majesties the King and Queen honoured the meeting with their presence, on the first Saturday, receiving an enthusiastic welcome when they arrived at 3.30, just after the match between J. Borotra and E. Maier had commenced, and remaining until 6.30, during which they witnessed the prolonged fight between Mrs. Whitlingstall and Mrs. Pitman. The total attendance for the day reached the world record proportions of 24,000, a figure about 1,500 in excess of all previous records. So great, indeed, was the crowd that the centre court gates were closed half an hour before the start of the first match between Perry and Allison. A viewpoint on No. 1 court was impossible of achievement for the latecomers, while centre court ticket-holders, who left their seats for the purpose of a survey of the matches on the outer courts, soon returned after a fruitless journey. Wimbledon has never had such a day.

SCULLER FALLS INTO THE RIVER

HENLEY REGATTA'S SENSATION

Brocklebank Beaten

A sensational incident occurred in the chief event, the heat of the Diamond Sculls in which the former Cambridge stroke, T. A. Brocklebank, Britain's best sculler, was opposed by the German, H. Buhitz, on the opening day of the Henley Royal Regatta.

When well beaten, half a mile from the finish, Brocklebank fell out of his shell to take no further part in the race. He was rescued and put on board the umpire's launch, none the worse for his ducking.

Apart from this, the event was a disappointment from a British point of view. The German, enthusiastic and confident in his ability, was an impressive figure, but Brocklebank was nervy, and it certainly did not tend to preserve his equilibrium when he refused a request to be photographed with his opponent before the start.

In the race Brocklebank failed to respond to the speed set by the German, who, sculling with the greatest ease and perfect rhythm, increased his lead with every stroke, and was travelling towards one of the easiest victories on record when the incident happened. Buhitz now meets L. F. Southwood, and a great race should be seen, for the latter was impressive in his victory over the Oxonian, L. Clive.

The Ladies Plate provided much interesting racing, with the closest finishes of the day, and one thrilling heat. This was an Oxford-Cambridge duel, with the Dark Blues, New College, gaining a meritorious triumph over Selwyn. It was a magnificent struggle all the way.

In a last titanic effort, New literally lifted their craft over the line to win by three feet in the fastest time of the day, 7 min. 35 sec.

SPORT ADVTS.

HONGKONG FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

Clubs wishing to join or to retain membership of the Association and League are reminded that July 31st is the closing date for entries for both.

W. E. HOLLANDS,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, July 20th, 1932.

SARAZEN'S DOUBLE NOT A SURPRISE

RODE ON CREST OF WAVE OF SUCCESS

The success of Gene Sarazen in the American open championship was not altogether surprising. Those who watched his play when he won the British open championship, saw a man riding on the crest of a wave of success.

He was playing so well then that it seemed impossible that Sarazen could lose his form even in travelling; and playing as he was in England there was nobody to beat him, either there or in his home country.

Sarazen appears to be a contradiction of the theory that a man must be in constant practice to win championships, for he had a few days rest on the boat after winning the British title and then only a day or two to prepare for the American event. On the other hand, Sarazen, like the majority of the players in America, is always engaged in tournament and exhibition golf, and therefore is always in championship form.

WINS BOTH TITLES.

Now that Sarazen has emulated Bobby Jones by winning both titles in the same year he will be able to make a good deal of money out of the game. It is understood that he and T.D. Armour will engage in an exhibition tour for about two months, playing every day.

Naturally the fees, always high for such matches in America, will be increased now that Sarazen is world champion. The exhibition tour is to be run on novel lines.

Before they start each match Armour will lecture on the correct methods of playing iron clubs and demonstrate to the gallery. He will also give advice to players who are in difficulties with their irons. Sarazen has contracted to do the same thing with the wooden clubs.

A surprising feature of the championship was the comparatively high scores. The Fresh Meadow course measures only about 6,500 yards, nearly 500 yards shorter than Prince's, and Sarazen's score was three strokes more in America than it was in England.

REAL CHAMPION



GENE Sarazen was only one more stroke away from the National Open championship when this picture was snapped. He'd just shot out of a sand-trap, down a narrow human plane of spectators, and on to the nineteenth green.

CYCLE TESTS IN BELGIUM

FRENCH GRAND PRIX HOTLY DISPUTED AT BRUSSELS

Brussels, July 18. The Francorchamps Motor Cycle Grand Prix was disputed in Belgium yesterday with the following results:

Stanley Wood, on a Norton machine, took the first prize for 500 cub. cm. cylinder capacity, attaining an average speed of 123.4 Km. p.h.

The first prize for 350 cm. was won by Simpson, on a Norton motor cycle, who covered 387 Km. in 3 hours, 17 minutes, 50 seconds, showing an average speed of 117.4 Km. p.h.

Mellores on an "Imperial" took the honours for 250 cm. machines, covering 342 Km. in 3 h. 7 min. 35 sec. his average speed being 109.6 Km. p.h.

Fernhoug on an "Excelsior" was the first in 175 cm. category, covering 283 Km. in 3 h. 10 min. 45 sec. at an average speed of 89.6 Km. per hour.

BOXING FIASCO

PERCENTAGE THAT WOULD NOT PAY.

Although Wales possesses the British cruiser-weight champion in Jack Petersen, who also won the British heavy-weight title a fortnight ago the boxing game in the Principality seems to be languishing so far as public support is concerned.

At Cardiff where Barney Kles-weller, the welter-weight champion of South Africa, was to meet George Ross, of Bristol, barely 400 spectators were present.

After an hour's delay, the promoter decided to return them their money. Fred Dyer, the manager of Ross, explained to the crowd that the boxers were fighting on a gate percentage and owing to the poor attendance they would get nothing for their trouble and expense. There was a suggestion that the minor bouts of a less expensive nature should be carried through, but this was not acted upon, and the money was eventually returned to the spectators.

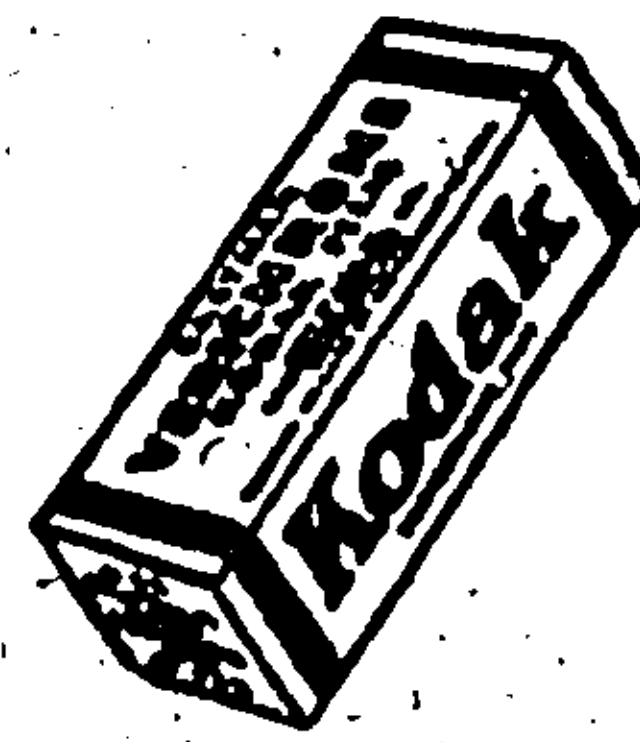
The promoters at the Mannedmann Hall, Swansea, had much the same experience, but the result was more satisfactory. Bert Kirby, the ex-British fly-weight champion, and Jimmy Jones, of Pontypridd, were the top-liners, and the announcer stated that Kirby, owing to the poor attendance, was disinclined to fight, but eventually Kirby went through with his engagement. The result was a draw, Jones taking two short counts.

U. S. WALKER CUP TEAM

New York, July 29. The following have been chosen to represent the United States in the Walker Cup match against England, at Brookline (Mass.), of September 1 and 2.
Francis Ouimet (Boston), captain; G. T. Dunlap Jr. (Princeton); Billy Howell Jr. (Richmond); Maurice McCarthy Jr. (New York); G. Seaver (Los Angeles); Jesse Sweetser (New York); G. J. Voigt (New York); J. Westland (Chicago).
Five of the team have not played in the Walker Cup before—Dunlap, Howell, McCarthy, Seaver, and Westland.



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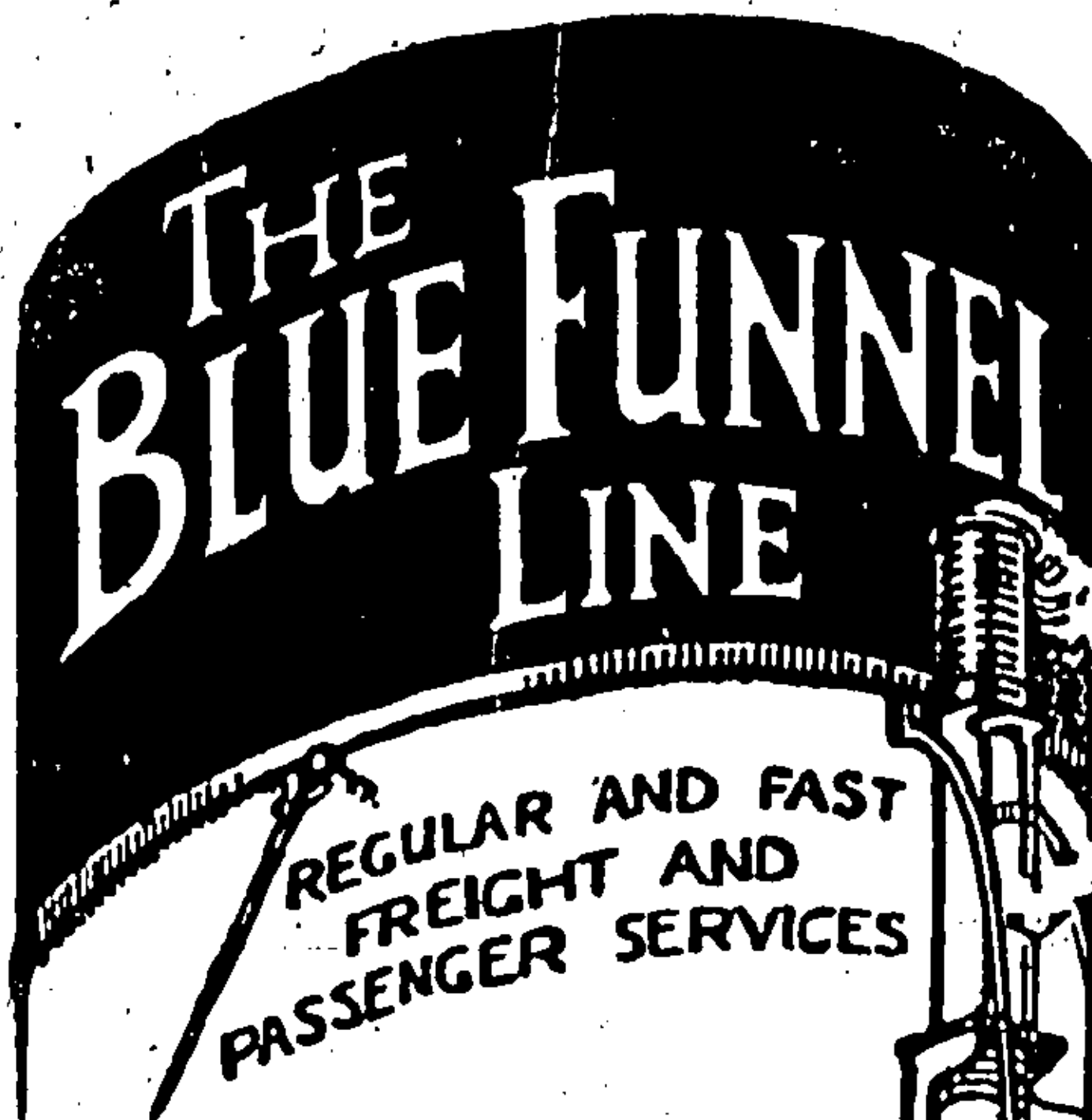


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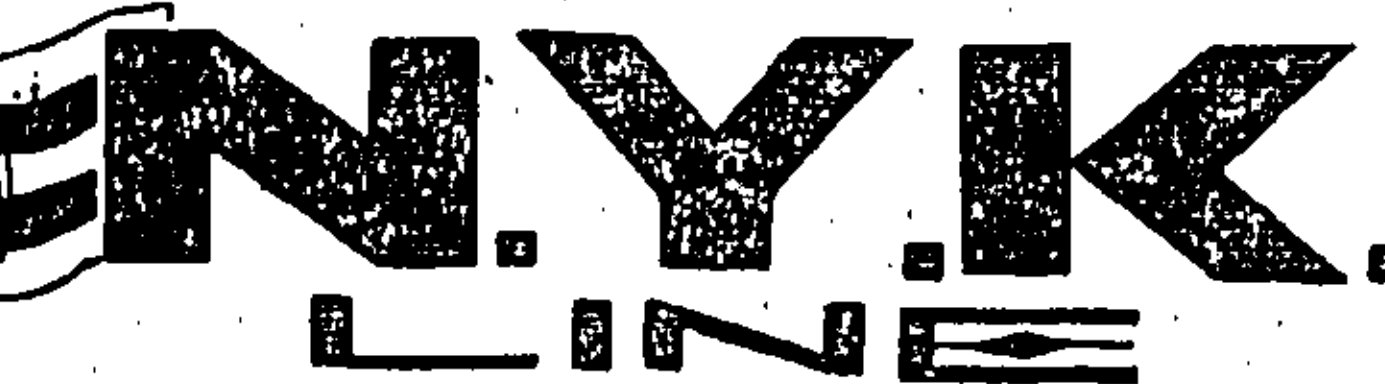
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MEDICAL WORK IN NEW TERRITORIES.

SUCCESSFUL CHARITY PERFORMANCE

The charity performance at the Queen's Theatre on Saturday night, organized by the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society, in aid of the work for New Territories farmers, was a signal success. Despite the heavy rain, there was a good attendance to see the many special features in the programme of the evening, presented by Long Tack Sam and his troupe and by local talented Chinese amateurs.

Captain Webb, A. D. C. to H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, and a party from Government House, were honoured guests of the Society at the entertainment.

Dr. F. I. Tsang, a member of the Medical Board and Secretary of the Society, introduced Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan and Mr. J. D. Bush as speakers of the evening, to express thanks to the patrons and various commercial houses and institutions supporting the show. From enquiry at the office of the Queen's Theatre, it was roughly estimated that the show netted almost \$4,500.

The first part of the entertainment began with "A Night in Hawaii" featuring the Aloha Quintet. The interpretative songs and Hawaiian music by this group of young Chinese elicited considerable applause. The piano-forte performance by Miss Amelia Lee was warmly greeted. Miss Lee's ease and grace at the piano showed every sign of a remarkably promising pianist, considering especially she was playing masterpieces like Liszt's "Campanella" and Chopin's "Fire Dance". The audience was equally appreciative of Mr. Li Chong-chi's singing in French.

Another superb offering was the violin solo by Mr. Ma See-chung, a young Chinese who is said to be the only one of his race who has studied music in Paris, and who holds a special diploma. Mr. Ma displayed his skill quite impressively by interpreting Chopin's "Nocturne in E Flat" and Wienawski's "First Polonaise" with piano accompaniment by Miss Amelia Lee.

Mr. Long Tack Sam with his daughters, Mi-Na and Nee-Sa Long, and his entire troupe of wonder-workers, following with the second part of the programme, kept the audience spell-bound for the rest of the evening with the usual high standard of magic and acrobatics. By special request, Mr. Long Tack Sam introduced into this charity performance several new features that had not been presented since his visit to the Colony.

Aims of the Society.

In thanking the patrons of the show, Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan spoke in Chinese, followed by Mr. J. D. Bush in English.

Mr. Bush spoke as follows: On behalf of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society, I thank you very heartily for your generous response to this charity performance. The mere fact that all tickets were sold within a week speaks well for the public-spiritedness of the Colony. Particularly gratifying was the response from three donors who have paid \$100 for two tickets each. And there can be no possible doubt that all present to-night at this theatre are supporters of a worthy charity, because the sick poor farmers in the New Territories do have a strong claim upon our sympathy and help.

Motoring through the main roads in the New Territories, many of us may not have any conception of the appalling conditions; but if we come closer to the villages, we are brought face to face with hard reality. Then and only then can we realise that it is our duty to establish safeguards against the spread of infectious and other diseases, and that it is our duty to see that the four clinics and maternity homes of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society never lack the means of carrying on their splendid work.

The Society invites all classes and communities of the Colony to co-operate in this work of promoting public health among the farmers in the New Territories. Great things have been done during the present generation, in Hongkong to take care of the sick poor, in an effort to provide ample accommodation for their careful nursing. The spirit of philanthropy and spirit of co-operation in the Colony in recent years is more in evidence. No doubt, no isolating walls can keep the ill of the weak from reaching the strong. Carlyle tells us of an Irish widow who in Edinburgh with three helpless children sought help in vain, fell ill of typhus, and infecting seventeen others, died. "The forlorn Irish widow," cries Carlyle grimly, "applies to her fellow creatures, 'Behold I am sinking bare of help. I am your sister; one God made us. You must help me.' They answer, No, impossible; thou art

LESSON-SERMON.

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"Truth" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday.

The Golden Text was—"He who blesseth himself in the earth shall bless himself in the God of truth; and he that sweareth in the earth shall swear by the God of truth." (Isaiah 65:16.)

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible—"And ye know that he was manifested to take away our sins; and in him is no sin. He that committeth sin is of the devil; for the devil sinneth from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the works of the devil." (1 John 3: 5, 8.)

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy—"Truth, God, is not the father of error. Sin, sickness, and death are to be classified as effects of error. Christ came to destroy the belief of sin. Christ is the ideal Truth, that comes to heal sickness and sin through Christian Science, and attributes all power to God." (p. 473.)

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The following reports by importers have been supplied to the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce: Cotton piece goods and fancy cotton goods.—The following reports have been received:

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Woolens.—A few small miscellaneous transactions are reported and certain replacements have been made on standard lines, but buyers are only satisfying their immediate needs, owing to uncertainty regarding prices.

Some enquiries are reported from Singapore, these being the first for many months. Clearances of Wool Yarns are proceeding and a few new orders have been settled.

Metals.—Market firmer and business continues dull.

Flour.—Market weak.

JAPAN AND LEAGUE.

MR. MATSUOKA TO ACT AS REPRESENTATIVE

Tokyo, July 23.
Mr. Yosuke Matsuoka, who was Baron Inukai's special representative in China during the Shanghai war, has been chosen as Japanese representative to the forthcoming general assembly of the League of Nations.

Mr. Matsuoka is leaving for Manchuria on Tuesday on an inspection trip before proceeding to Geneva.—*Reuter.*

no sisters of ours!" The result was that she proved her sisterhood because her typhus killed them.

Appeal for Assistance.

From the programme in your hands, you will find printed a resume of the activities of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society as well as the aims of the Society, and I cannot go into them within the time at my disposal. To those of you who wish the endeavours of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society to go on, in season and out of season, we appeal with every confidence for assistance in donations and in other practical ways. Dr. F. I. Tsang, whose office is at 62, Queen's Road Central, is the Secretary of the Society. Should you desire to know more about the good work of the Society, you may communicate with him direct.

I can see some of you casting anxious glances at the clock. I will not keep you much longer from enjoying the programme of the evening. Before concluding my remarks, let me acknowledge a great debt of gratitude to Mr. Long Tack Sam and his troupe and all the other artists who have contributed so much to this performance. The Society is especially grateful to the Aloha Quintet, Miss Amelia Lee (Miss Lee Choi-chan), Mr. Li Chong-chi and Mr. Ma See-chung, the talented violinist returned from France. Last but not least the Society feels extremely grateful to the three generous donors for donating \$100 each for two tickets, whose names are Mr. Chan Ip-cho, Dr. Ip Kam-wah and Mr. Ip Hol-kuk. Special thanks are also due to the Tsang

TO BE SENT BACK TO CANTON.

EX-MILITARY OFFICER A FUGITIVE

That the troops of a General or Governor, forced to flee the country on being deprived of power, as often as not turned bandits, was the suggestion put by the Public Prosecutor (Mr. R. E. Lindsell) in a pointed query to a witness at the close of extradition proceedings before Mr. Grantham at the Central Magistracy on Saturday.

The Court was investigating the case of Leung Cheung, described as a former battalion commander of General Chan Kwing-ming, whose surrender is sought by the Canton authorities on a requisition charging him with banditry and kidnapping on the West River on the night of June 28, 1932.

In his defence, the fugitive called as a witness Sung Ching-kum, who gave his credentials as follows:

He had served as a clerk in the Hongkong Government in the early nineties, but later went to Honolulu where he functioned as a Vice-Consul until 1908.

Upon the overthrow of the Manchu Imperial regime and the establishment of the Chinese Republic, he returned to Hongkong, and established himself in business here and at Canton. Between whiles he acted as interpreter in Mandarin at both the Hongkong Central Magistracy and at the Supreme Court.

An Honorary Secretary.

He was now an honorary Secretary to General Chan Kwing-ming, and through the latter got to know the fugitive, whose personal acquaintance he made when visiting General Chan at the latter's residence at Conduit Road.

At the material period, witness continued, he was still visiting General Chan Kwing-ming, when a suggestion was made that a new Chinese political party should be formed with General Chan as its leader. During that time, between June 16 and July 19 or 20, witness said, he saw the fugitive every day at the General's house. It was the fugitive's desire that General Chan should come into Court to speak on his behalf, but political business kept him away and witness had been asked by the General to come to the Court in his place. About a week ago, General Chan left for Tientsin on a political mission and before his departure he had reminded him (witness) of the necessity of doing all he could for the fugitive.

Deputed for General.

Speaking of the fugitive's standing vis-a-vis the General, witness stated that whenever the General held a levee of his former commanders, the fugitive, as one of them, would often be sent for and called upon to deputise for the General and entertain his guests.

The Public Prosecutor took witness back over the years 1922-24, and tested his knowledge of the political changes occurring at Canton during that period. He asked witness "what was this wonderful political party that he had spoken about."

The reply was that it was a new party called the Tze Kung Tong, conceived after the fall from power of General Chan Kwing-ming, designed to run counter to the Kuomintang of the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen.

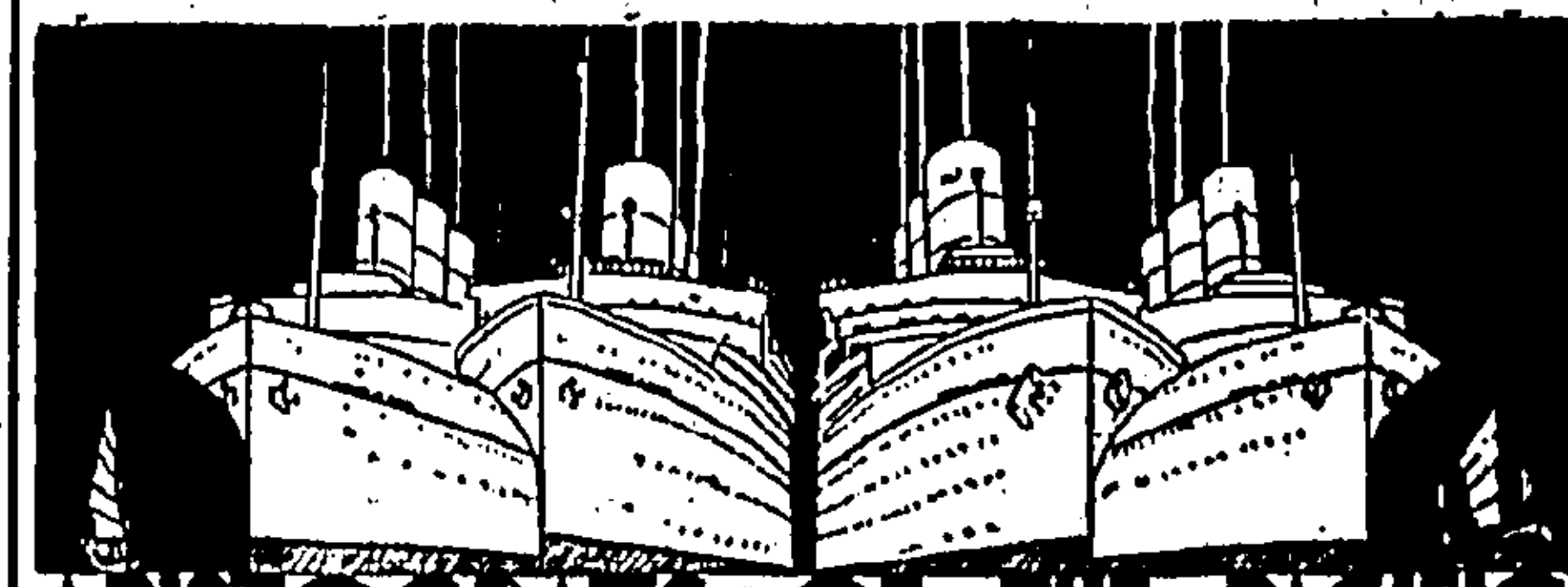
The Public Prosecutor: Has it not happened again and again when a General or Governor has gone out of power, his troops have immediately turned bandits?

The witness asserted that "some do and some don't."

This was the only witness called by the fugitive, the case against whom was then closed. In committing the fugitive to gaol to await further orders from H.E. the Governor, his Worship informed the man that he would not be surrendered until 15 days, during which period he had the right, if he wished to, to apply to the Supreme Court for a writ of habeas corpus.

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MAN HUNTERS

(Continued from Page 3.)

Susan was interested in them for a few minutes but soon her nervousness was uppermost again. She had an almost overwhelming desire to run away. With fast beating heart she assured herself that Bob would be remote and cool to her. He would not forgive her for things she had said the day before.

What was it he had said at parting? "You don't love me at all. You never have. I'm through with you!"

Of course he had been angry but what if he had really meant it? The girl shivered, and the woman wearing the scarf who had been envying and admiring the tall miss in the fur coat looked at her curiously.

Susan wandered out to the region of the train gates and strolled back and forth. The minutes lagged. It was cold and draughty here. Several well-dressed couples passed briskly with laden porters in their wake. A rakish looking man in a romantic, wide-brimmed hat swung by, carrying a brief case. There was the usual and subdued excitement attendant to the departure of the crack train.

Twelve-twenty. Twelve-thirty. Twelve-thirty-five. Susan's heart was like lead in her breast. She had lost him—she had lost him! Trainmen began to shout orders. Last-minute stragglers hurried through the gates, impatient at the delay over tickets.

Her eyes raked the crowd. No tall young man in a dark topcoat. No fair head, or stern jawed profile in sight. The clock's hands crawled inexorably ahead. Then all at once she saw him. He was striding as rapidly as his long legs would carry him through the swinging doors. A liveried chauffeur was at his heels, a blue ticket in his fingers.

The girl stood frozen, immobile. "All aboard!" came the call.

Just as Bob Dunbar came abreast of the gate, intent on the business of getting through, he heard a soft voice call his name.

He raised his eyes in an intimidating glare. "No, wait here," Bob rapped the words out.

The man who was punching tickets interposed swiftly. "The lady may go through with you, sir, if you like. But you'd better get aboard. There's only a minute left."

Bob took Susan's arm and swung her along beside him. "But I thought you wouldn't—thought you wouldn't go," she protested.

"Why not?" The words were like pellets of ice.

"Something's happened. I'm not going to marry Ernest after all."

They were at the second coach now and a white-coated, grinning porter was reaching for the bags. Up ahead the whistle, sounded warningly and a bell began to clang.

"Never mind, 'Grimes,' Bob shouted. "I'm not going."

The chauffeur's face remained impassive. "Where shall I put the luggage, sir?"

"Anywhere you like!" Bob's arm was linked in Susan's.

(To be Continued.)

HOSTILITIES IN MANCHURIA

WAR BEING WAGED AT SEVERAL POINTS

Harbin, July 24.

A force of 500 anti-Manchukuo soldiers at Hsicheng, 40 miles north-west of Kiamusze, is reported to have attacked a Nakamura detachment.—*Reuter.*

Attack on Imienpo.

Imienpo, July 24.

Reports state that Imienpo is surrounded by Anti-Manchukuo forces, and an attack is imminent. The muddy fields are preventing aeroplanes from taking off.—*Reuter.*

Battle Near Harbin.

Harbin, July 23.

Severe fighting is going on at Poyen, some forty-five miles to the north of Harbin between the garrison and a large force of anti-Manchukuo troops.

The anti-Manchukuo forces attacked in large numbers but are being stubbornly resisted.—*Reuter.*

Japanese Reports.

Peking, July 23.

Chinese officials discredit Japanese reports from Mukden that General Chang Hsueh-hang is planning a military drive to Mukden with the object of establishing his rule there. They describe the reports as being completely without foundation.—*Reuter.*

Postal Blockade.

Shanghai, July 23.

It is announced that a postal blockade against the Manchukuo government has been made effective from to-day.—*Reuter.*

TUNG WAH HOSPITAL.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE PROPERTY PLANNED

Mr. Chan Lim-pak, the Chairman of the Tung Wah Hospital, and other directors of this local Chinese charitable institution, are stated to be organising a big scheme in connexion with the construction of dwelling houses for rental purposes on the Po Leung Kuk old site. It is understood that the Tung Wah Hospital, Tung Wah Eastern Hospital and the Kwong Wah Hospital require an annual sum of \$600,000, for this reason the Directors are looking to the construction of these houses to obtain more income.

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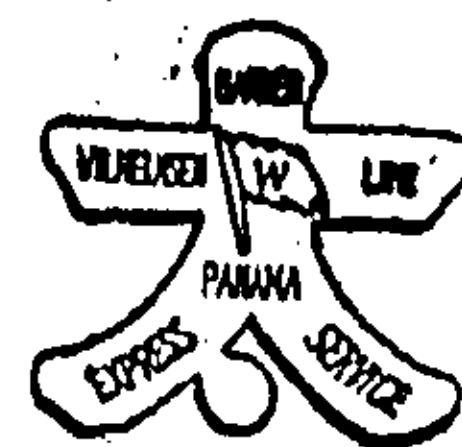
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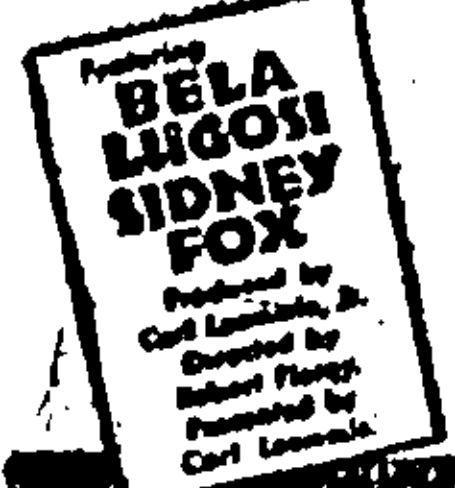


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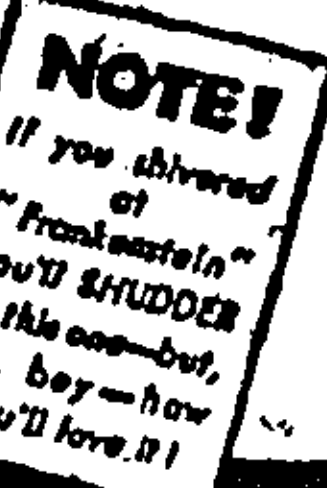
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ARMS REDUCTION

GENEVA APPROVES OF RESOLUTION

Geneva, July 23. The resolution of the general committee of the Disarmament Conference, formulated after six months' labour, was to-day adopted by 41 votes to 2, Germany and Russia opposing, whilst there were eight absentees.

The resolution, drafted by Sir John Simon and M. Benes of Czechoslovakia, welcomes President Hoover's proposals which call for reduction of world armaments by a third, as well as agreeing to the prohibition of aerial attacks against civilians, and of chemical, incendiary and bacterial warfare.

Urging the limitation of certain calibres of land artillery and the weight of tanks, and advocating the establishment of a permanent disarmament commission, the resolution invites the signatory Powers to the Washington and London Naval treaties to confer with a view to further reduction in naval armaments.—*Reuter*.

Sir John Simon's Appeal.

London, July 23. Sir John Simon in his final appeal last night, said that if the resolution represented the final conclusion of the Conference, he could well understand the grave hesitation in many quarters to approve it. But its first object was to record progress. Secondly, it acknowledged President Hoover's stirring call, and thirdly, prepared for the second phase of the Conference.

It contained no commitment contrary to the essential convictions of anyone. He understood the feeling which actuated those who, on behalf of states subject to a special regime at the end of the war, had raised the question of equality of rights but the present was an inopportune time for discussion of that subject.

France Dissatisfied.

M. Herriot said that, although the French were not entirely satisfied, since several of their demands, for example the security and general budgetary limitation, had not for the moment been accepted, they would vote for the resolution.

The bureau will meet on September 21 to decide when the Conference, which now stands adjourned, shall again be convened.—*British Wireless*.

OTTAWA SELECTS COMMITTEES.

FULL CONFERENCE TO SIT IN CAMERA

London, July 23. Five important committees of the Imperial Conference at Ottawa were constituted yesterday.

The most important of these for the promotion of Inter-Empire trade will, in effect, be the full conference sitting in camera. It comprises 32 members and it may be found necessary to appoint sub-committees from it to consider in detail the highly important subjects that will come up for consideration. Lord Halifax has been elected its Chairman.

Four other committees to deal with (1) customs administrations, (2) commercial relations with foreign nations, (3) monetary and financial questions, and (4) methods of economic co-operation, were also appointed. The work of the committees has begun and the various delegations are also consulting together privately.

The United Kingdom delegation met twice yesterday to examine in detail the speeches made at opening session of conference. Wednesday is being devoted to inter-Dominions conversations in preparation for the full trade committee which meets next week for discussion of the problems peculiar to each of the Dominions.—*British Wireless*.

NOTED PATIENTS.

RETURN OF LORD LYTON'S FEVER REPORTED

Peking, July 24. Lord Lyton is again suffering from slight fever, and some bacterial infection remains. His condition, otherwise, is regarded as satisfactory.—*Reuter*.

Secretary Ill.

Peking, July 24. Mr. Von Kötze, a member of the Secretariat of the Lytton Mission, is still very ill, and he has passed a bad night.—*Reuter*.

American Veteran.

Peking, July 24. Major General William Crozier, the American veteran soldier, is reported to be much better. He spent a good night and his temperature has returned to normal. He is now believed to be out of danger.—*Reuter*.

CHEVALIER'S AFFAIRS.

SEEKING DIVORCE FROM HIS WIFE

Paris, July 23. Maurice Chevalier, the popular screen actor, has filed a petition for divorce from his wife, Yvonne Vallee, on the ground of incompatibility.

A formal reconciliation was attempted in the law courts yesterday and failed.

The petition will be heard in October.—*Reuter*.

"To Preserve Friendship."

In order to avoid the huge crowds, the film star Maurice Chevalier and his wife, Yvonne Vallee, were smuggled quickly out of the law courts, where they had gone in connexion with the preliminary proceedings in Maurice's application for a divorce.

Chevalier denies that he has other matrimonial intentions, the couple separating, he says, in order that they can preserve their friendship. "We remain comrades, but cannot live together as good friends, and if we remained together another two years we would become enemies," declared Maurice.—*Reuter's Special Service*.

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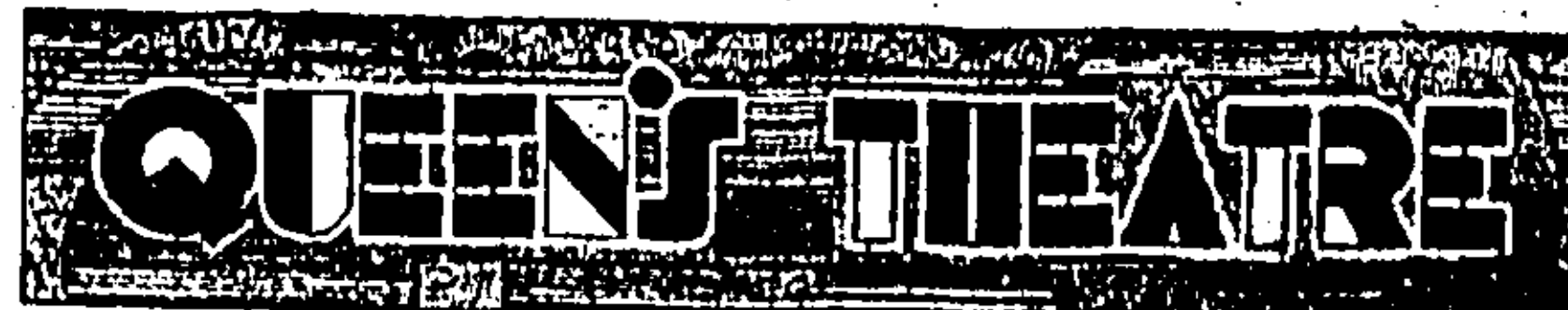
London, July 23. A new issue of savings certificates, to replace those included in the War Loan conversion scheme, will be on sale in August. This will be the fourth issue of these certificates.

The purchase price of the new issue will be 16/-, the value of which will increase to £1 at the end of the seventh year, and to £1-3-0 at the end of the eleventh year.—*British Wireless*.

TRAIN JUMPS TRACK.

DUE TO WASH-OUT ON C. E. RAILWAY

Harbin, July 24. Floods washed out the ballast on the track of the Chinese Eastern Railway 70 miles west of Harbin, causing a freight train to jump the track this morning. As a result, 17 wagons were smashed.—*Reuter*.



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SENSATIONAL MOVE IN THE POSTAL BLOCKADE

MYSTERY DELAY IN TARIFF WAR

IRELAND'S PLANS

Dublin, July 24.
The schedule of the new tariffs against Great Britain was expected to be issued by Mr. de Valera to-night but was not forthcoming.

Considerable speculation has been aroused by the delay. Mr. de Valera was busy all day, discussing his programme with one official and another, drawing up his list of dutiable articles, but he did not summon the Cabinet to give final sanction to the proposals.

It is uncertain what significance attaches to the absence of the expected announcement to-night, but there is talk of conversations behind the scenes which might lead to a re-opening of the negotiations.

NOT FOR LONG.

It is difficult to see how this can be accomplished in view of the uncompromising attitude hitherto adopted and it is not anticipated that the tariff list will be held up for long, by any means.

In fact, it is thought that one list will be published to-morrow and that it is likely to prove merely the first of several, as the completion of the barrier against Britain is dependent upon the result of negotiations with other countries. Efforts are being made to secure a new outlet for Irish produce.—*Reuter*.

HEAT WAVE DEATHS

BRITISH OFFICER DIES IN SHANGHAI

News has been received of the death in Shanghai, from the effects of heat, on Friday last, of Major Robert Linton Ritchie, O.B.E., R.A.M.C.

Major Ritchie's decease was very sudden and unexpected: he was admitted to hospital and was almost at once pronounced dangerously ill.

Major Ritchie, who was in his 43rd year, joined the R.A.M.C. in April, 1916, and was on active service for more than three years, serving in Gallipoli, Egypt, Italy, France and Belgium. He also obtained the medal and clasp for the operations in Mesopotamia after the War.

He joined the China Command early in 1930, being posted to the British Military Hospital, Shanghai, as Medical Specialist, and is survived by his widow, at present in Shanghai.

His is the second heat stroke death within a week among the British troops in Shanghai. A Quartermaster-Sergeant of the R.A.S.C. also died from heat exhaustion.

FUNG MURDER TRIAL

ALLEGED GUNMAN TO BE TRIED IN SHANGHAI

The First Special District Court in Shanghai has refused to extradite Wang Nan-hsiang, wanted by the Hongkong police for the murder of George Fung, holding that as prisoner was arrested in Shanghai, he must also be tried there.

The wife of Wang Nan-hsiang was released for lack of evidence.

When prisoner appeared before Judge Chien, the trial was adjourned for a fortnight to enable Mr. Paul, R.A., Assistant Municipal Magistrate, to obtain documentary evidence from Hongkong.

ALLEGED JAPANESE COUNTER

TO ESTABLISH OWN POST OFFICE

UNDER CONSUL

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, July 25.

The Chinese Post Office has now taken all necessary steps to make the postal blockade of Manchukuo effective. No mails are being transmitted from China Proper to Manchuria and all Chinese postal officials in Manchuria have received recall orders.

A sensation has, however, been created by reports of a Japanese attempt to break the blockade. The report emanates from Chinese sources, but it is given considerable prominence in the *China Press* this morning.

The *China Press* quotes a Chinese news agency as alleging

SIBERIAN MAIL SUSPENDED

NOTIFICATION BY H.K. POST OFFICE.

The Postmaster-General, Hongkong, notifies that the despatch of mails from Hongkong to Europe via Siberia is temporarily suspended, until further notice. The suspension is the result of a cable from Shanghai announcing that owing to "extraordinary circumstances" mails can no longer be transmitted by the Siberia route.

that the Japanese authorities are preparing to establish a temporary post office of their own in Shanghai, in the Japanese Consulate-General.

This "Japanese Post Office," it is declared, will collect and despatch mail matter from Shanghai destined for Manchuria on behalf of the Japanese residents.

WOULD NULLIFY EFFORT.

It is obvious that such a measure, if it was made effective, would go a long way towards nullifying the postal blockade which the Nanking authorities have ordered to be established against Manchukuo.

If the mails are actually handled by the Japanese Consulate, they will be sent to Dairen aboard Japanese steamers.

JAPANESE DEMAND.

According to the same report, the measure has received the support of Japanese residents of Shanghai, who have decided to urge Tokyo to protest to the Chinese Government against the imposition of the blockade.—*Reuter*.

OFFICIALS LEAVING.

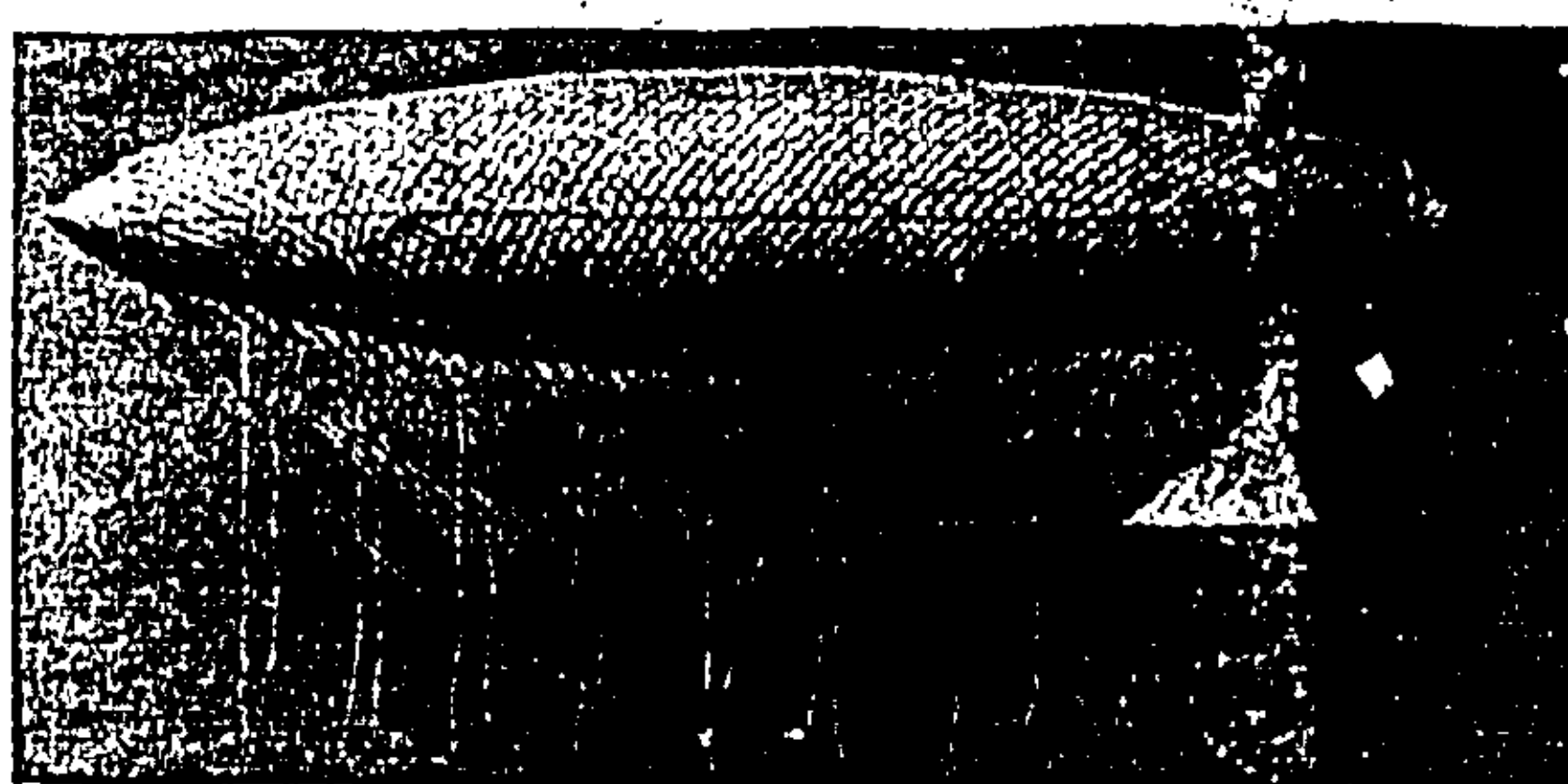
Peking, July 24.
Important Post Office officials have arrived from Manchuria with archives and records, which have been placed in the custody of the Tientsin Post Office.

Over two thousand minor officials are expected to leave Manchuria in the coming week.—*Reuter*.

AUTHORITY GIVEN.

Shanghai, July 24.
The Ministry of Communications has issued the necessary orders for the institution of the blockade of Manchukuo. Efforts will be made to place officials returning from Manchukuo in post offices in China Proper.—*Reuter*.

According to a report made to the police by Mr. C. M. Manners, eleven packages of chemicals, worth \$100, have been stolen from No. 51 Godown at the Kowloon Godown.



Our picture shows the Giffard dirigible balloon, constructed in 1852. It was 144 feet long and was inflated with coal-gas. Senor Santos Dumont, the airship pioneer, achieved his fame by following up Giffard's ideas.

WOMAN'S FIGHT WITH ARMED ROBBERS

KOWLOON FLAT DRAMA

ONE ARRESTED

A desperate struggle occurred in a Kowloon flat early this morning, when armed robbers entered the home of Miss Beppu, a Japanese masseuse, on the second floor of 308, Nathan Road, and met with unexpected resistance.

The struggle, featured by an attempt by one of the three men to make use of a chisel with which he had come armed, was of some what long duration, the woman putting up a desperate fight. It ended only when tenants of the floor below, their attention attracted by the commotion and sound of breaking glass, rushed to the rescue. The robbers abandoned the attempt and fled.

In Jordan Road, up which he was endeavouring to escape, one of the gangsters was overtaken and seized by a Mr. Silva, a young Portuguese who, occupying the floor underneath Miss Beppu's, was among the first to come to her assistance.

OTHERS ESCAPE.

The other two who had taken a different direction of flight, made an escape along Nanking Road. Police investigators who have been supplied with a description of the men as they had appeared to Miss Beppu, are searching for them, and all Stations have been warned. Just before eight o'clock this morning, an amah who lived on the premises with Miss Beppu, was sent out by her mistress to make market purchases for the day. This appears to have been known to the robbers, who, devising a ruse for securing entry, were near at hand but out of sight, when she returned.

As soon as she opened the door, they forced their way in after her. In the hall they were met by Miss Beppu, who bravely resisted. She received a cut in the forehead, probably from the chisel with which her immediate assailant was armed, and also another injury in the left wrist.

Miss Beppu has been removed to hospital, but although the injuries she received were serious enough, it is not thought that her condition occasions any great concern.

TRAGIC DEATH OF MRS. PURDY

AMERICAN JUDGE ILL WITH CHOLERA

WIFE'S COLLAPSE

Shanghai, July 25, 11.8 a.m.
Judge Milton Purdy, of the United States Court for China, was taken suddenly ill last night and rushed off to hospital, where cholera was diagnosed. He was removed to the Isolation Hospital. Late in the evening, Mrs. Purdy visited the hospital and when informed of the diagnosis, collapsed and died of heart failure.—*Reuter*.

AIRSHIP FLIGHT PIONEER DEAD

WINNER OF DEUTSCH PRIZE IN 1901

SANTOS DUMONT

Rio de Janeiro, July 24.

Senor Santos Dumont, the famous aeronautical inventor, to whom South Americans credit the development of the airship, passed away at his Petropolis home, near Rio, today. He was fifty-one years of age.

He was the recognised airship pioneer. Seeing his first balloon in 1888, when fifteen, he began at once to take an interest in flying, paying much attention to the ideas of Henri Giffard, the French inventor.

In 1891 he visited Paris, expecting to "see new things, steerable balloons and automobiles." To his immense astonishment, he found there were no steerable balloons. There were only spherical balloons. In fact, no-one had continued the trials of the elongated balloon driven by a motor begun by Henri Giffard. For years, no cigar-shaped balloons have been seen in the air.

FIVE FAILURES.

In 1889, he decided to make an attempt to win the Deutsch prize of 100,000 francs, offered for flying the first motor-driven airship from the Aero Club in Paris, around the Eiffel Tower and back to the club grounds in less than half an hour.

He built five airships (each about 90 feet long) but none answered his purpose though the Santos Dumont No. 5 completed the Deutsch Prize course in forty minutes.

DAY OF TRIUMPH.

In No. 6, however, he won the Deutsch prize, making the journey in 29 minutes 30 seconds on October 19, 1901. He experienced engine trouble at a critical moment and gave the spectators a thrilling finish by ascending rapidly at the end of the course and passing the judges at full speed, at an altitude of 1000 feet. He had rounded the Eiffel Tower from the Aero Club in nine minutes, but on the return trip, in the teeth of a stiff wind, nearly failed because of engine trouble which almost found him with his airship out of control.

The prize-money he divided between the charitable institutions of Paris and the workmen at the Dumont plant.

TRANSPORT MUSEUM.

He never lost his interest in aviation, though late in life he developed another fad, travelling between Rio and Paris. Most of his time appeared to be spent on steamers between Rio and France. He also collected a remarkable museum of models of aeroplanes, dirigibles, motor-cars, locomotives and ships.—*Reuter*.

ANOTHER TYPHOON

The Royal Observatory reports that a typhoon has developed more than 300 miles east of Luzon, and will probably move W. or W.N.W. Manila, reporting at 11 a.m., places the typhoon in about Long. 127, Lat. 16, moving west. The local forecast is as follows: S.W. winds, moderate; fair.

WASHINGTON ORDER DEFIED

CHICAGO B.O.T. OFFERS CHALLENGE

Chicago, July 24.

A struggle between the Federal Government and the Chicago Board of Trade is foreshadowed as the result of an order by the Government announcing the suspension of the Chicago Board of Trade for sixty days for alleged violation of the law.

The specific breach of law alleged is the refusal by the Board of Trade to grant clearing house privileges to the Farmers' National Grain Corporation.

The Board of Trade has decided to defy the suspension order and to remain open.

The leading officials of the Chicago Board of Trade declare that their closing would throw the wheat market into chaos, it being impossible for Minneapolis or Winnipeg or any other cities to handle the volume of business passing through Chicago.

HOOVER JOB-HOLDERS.

The Board intends to appeal to the highest courts for relief from the suspension order and declares that it will make no attempt to effect a compromise with the Committee of "Hoover Job-Holders."—*Reuter*.

DAVIS CUP

AMERICA'S CHALLENGE

VINES WINS VITAL MATCH

GREAT DISPLAY BY VON CRAMM.

Paris, July 24.

Ellsworth Vines, the Wimbledon champion, to-day defeated G. von Cramm by three sets to one in the Davis Cup Inter-Zone Final, the United States thereby qualifying to meet France in the Challenge Round.

There was never any real doubt about Vines' all-round superiority to the German player, but von Cramm's resourcefulness and magnificent steadiness enabled him to give the American one of his hardest fights of this, his first, visit to Europe.

GERMAN WINS FIRST SET.

Vines' better volleying probably decided the match. In the first set, he attacked furiously, but von Cramm's positioning and placing were brilliant and he was steadiness personified, retrieving everything. For a while, Vines was puzzled and von Cramm took the first set at 6-3.

The American's whirlwind services and drives began to have their influence in the second set and von Cramm failed to withstand the battery.

TERRIFIC DUEL.

The third set provided a duel which was worth going a long way to see. Vines showed no loss of the form which had carried him through to success in the second set, but von Cramm rose to great heights, challenging every point and refusing to stay on the defensive. Five-all, six-all and seven-all were called, both players being stretched to their limit, but at this stage von Cramm faltered for just a moment and Vines broke through his service to capture the set.

TO CHALLENGE FRANCE.

After this, Vines' brilliant overhead play carried him to a well-deserved and hard-earned victory. The Americans having won the doubles against Prenn and von Cramm in straight sets, they won the Inter-Zone Final by three matches to one. The match with France commences on Friday next.

The results of the first two singles were given on Saturday. The other scores were:

W. Allison and J. Van Ryn (America) beat H. Prenn and G. von Cramm (Germany), 6-3, 6-4, 6-1.

Ellsworth Vines (America) beat von Cramm (Germany), 8-6, 6-3, 7-5.—*Reuter*.

MANCHURIA WAR

JAPANESE SETBACKS

LOSE CONTROL OF C. E. R.

ANTI-MANCHUKUO OCCUPATION

Harbin, July 25.

The Japanese are rapidly losing their grip on the eastern section of the Chinese Eastern Railway. The troops employed on garrison duty are seriously menaced and in danger of isolation.

The Chinese "Volunteers"—the patriotic anti-Manchukuo forces—are invading the C.E.R. at all points, having received large additions to their strength recently.

Guerrilla warfare appears to be proceeding on a larger scale than ever before and the Japanese hold seems to be becoming rather precarious.

SHINTOHOTZE RETAKEN.

Japanese sources report a victory over the Chinese Volunteers at Shintohotze yesterday and to have recaptured the city which fell into the hands of the anti-Manchukuo forces on Thursday.

It is, however, authoritatively learned that the Volunteers have now re-occupied practically the whole of the C.E.R. to the east of Hailuo, the only places beyond that still held by the Japanese being Hallin, and Hentaohotze. In these two places, the Japanese garrison is practically isolated.

The Shintohotze fighting lasted all day yesterday, but finally the Japanese were able to carry out a flanking movement which rolled up the defence lines of the Volunteers and compelled them to retreat, leaving eighty dead on the field.—*Reuter*.

EXCHANGE MARKET VERY DULL

NO CHANGE IN THE DOLLAR

The Hongkong dollar remains unchanged at 15 3/4 d. to-day. The local market is lifeless.

Silver is up 1/8th in London, where China bought. There were small offerings on a firm market. New York reports silver, up 1/16th.—*Reuter*.



Mr. Henderson.

MR. HENDERSON HOME AGAIN

NOT SATISFIED BUT STILL HOPEFUL

London, July 24.

With the conclusion of the first stage of the Disarmament Conference, with little of practical importance apparently accomplished, the representatives of the various nations are leaving Geneva.

The British delegates to the Conference have already returned to London as has Mr. Arthur Henderson, the chairman of the Conference and the leader of the British Labour Party.

Mr. Henderson was warmly welcomed at Victoria by Labour leaders and others.

BOUND TO TRIUMPH.

He stated that he will be returning to Geneva in September. He also stated, in an interview with newspapermen, that while he could not pretend to be satisfied with the results achieved during the first stage of the conference, but it would be wrong to say that the resolution adopted contained nothing of value.

He re-affirmed his conviction that the cause of disarmament is bound to triumph.

The question was, he said, whether that triumph was to come now or after another long period of waiting.—*Reuter*.

MONGKOK FIRE OUTBREAK

STOCK WORTH \$1,000 DESTROYED

At 8.45 last night, a fire broke out on the premises occupied by the Fai Wah Electric Battery Company, at 2, Tung Choi Street, Mongkok.

A lighted cigarette-end thrown carelessly into a heap of shavings used for packing purposes, was the cause of the outbreak. The Fire Brigade, called early to the scene, put out the conflagration within a quarter of an hour. No great damage was caused to the building by the fire, although a valuable amount of stock, said to be over \$1,000, was destroyed by water and fire combined. The goods were not insured.

Clothing to the value of \$23 was stolen from Mrs. May's residence on the ground floor of 4, Jordan Road early yesterday morning, by a thief who is supposed to have entered through the front door, which had

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

A very nice safety play is executed in the following hand by Mr. David Burnstine, the new bridge champion of America.

♠ 10-7	NORTH	♠ Q-9-6
♥ Q-9-3	WEST	♥ 4-3
♦ A-J-6-4-2	EAST	♦ J-5-4
♣ 7-6-2	SOUTH	♣ K-9-8
♠ K-8-2	Dealer	♠ Q-4
♥ 10-8-6-2		♥ A-J-5
♦ 5		♦ A-K-7
♣ A-10-9-8-3		♣ Q-10-7-3
		♣ K-J-5

The Bidding.

The bidding was two No Trump by Mr. Burnstine in the South which his partner in the North carried to three No Trump.

The Play.

The opening lead was the ten of clubs by West, dummy played the deuce, East the queen, and if Mr. Burnstine in the South were to win the trick with the king, his contract of three No Trump would be defeated. Mr. Burnstine made what is known in bridge as a safety play, putting on the five of clubs. When East returned the four of clubs, Mr. Burnstine played the king, West won the trick with the ace. West returned the nine of clubs. East showed out, discarding a spade, and South won the trick with the jack. The queen of diamonds was the lead and the finesse taken, which East won with the king.

If Mr. Burnstine had won the first trick with the king of clubs, East could now lead the four of clubs and West would run off four clubs tricks, but now East has no more clubs and all that he can do is to lead a small spade which Mr. Burnstine in the South wins with the ace. The ten of diamonds is then led by the declarer, followed by the seven spot, which is won in dummy with the jack. The ace and six of diamonds in the dummy are then cashed, South the declarer discarding the five of spades on the last diamond. Declarer then cashes his ace, king and queen of hearts, granting the last spade trick to West.

By refusing to win the first club trick, South the declarer makes his contract of three No Trump.

WOMAN'S COLLAPSE.

TRAGEDY OCCURS IN CHINA BUILDING

Shortly after one o'clock yesterday afternoon, a Chinese woman, who had come out of China Building, suddenly collapsed on the pavement in front of the main entrance, to the consternation of a large number of people who were about.

Assistance was immediately forthcoming, and an ambulance arrived on the scene and conveyed the woman to hospital. Life was however, found to be extinct, and the body was taken to the Mortuary.

It appears that the woman, who was about 45 years of age, and who had the appearance of belonging to the middle class, had been in ill-health, for which reason she had gone into China Building to consult a doctor. It was whilst she was going away that death apparently suddenly intervened.

Tokyo, July 23.
The Foreign Office has received a communication from Nanking approving of the appointment of Mr. Ariyoshi as Minister to China.
—Reuter.

LAURA GUERITE.

CLEVER ARTISTE PLEASES AT PENINSULA

The big crowd that occupied the Rose Room at the Peninsula Hotel on Saturday night was proof enough of the popularity that Laura Guerite has earned during her very short stay in Hongkong. The very capable artiste, with her unique personality, added much to the merriment of the evening and kept the well-filled room in a constant ripple of laughter with her merry quips and clever character songs.

A seasoned stage performer, Miss Guerite is also well suited for cabaret entertainment and has the happy knack of putting herself on friendly terms with her listeners with her constant topical references.

Miss Guerite was extremely generous with her offerings on Saturday and replied again and again to the warm hand-claps of the audience. Her numbers included a couple of straight songs, and a burlesque or two, in which she showed her versatility and obliged a number of requests with her favourites "The Canary" and "The Queens of England."

Mr. A. G. Piovaneli, Manager of the Peninsula, had arranged an excellent evening, and it is announced that Miss Guerite will make her last appearance at the hotel next Saturday.

MISSING MAN BACK.

HOTEL VISITOR RETURNS WITH EXPLANATION

M. Lucien Iphate, the young Frenchman from Haiphong for whom the Police had been searching since he left the Hongkong Hotel a week ago, returned to the hotel on Saturday, and was surprised to learn of the concern which had been felt regarding his absence, leading to his being reported missing.

When M. Iphate left the hotel on the previous Sunday he obtained two towels from a servant, which circumstance, when his prolonged absence was noticed, gave rise to fears that he might have gone for a swim and met with some unfortunate accident. It now appears that the report of his "disappearance" was "a mistake," and that M. Iphate had an explanation which he communicated to the Police.

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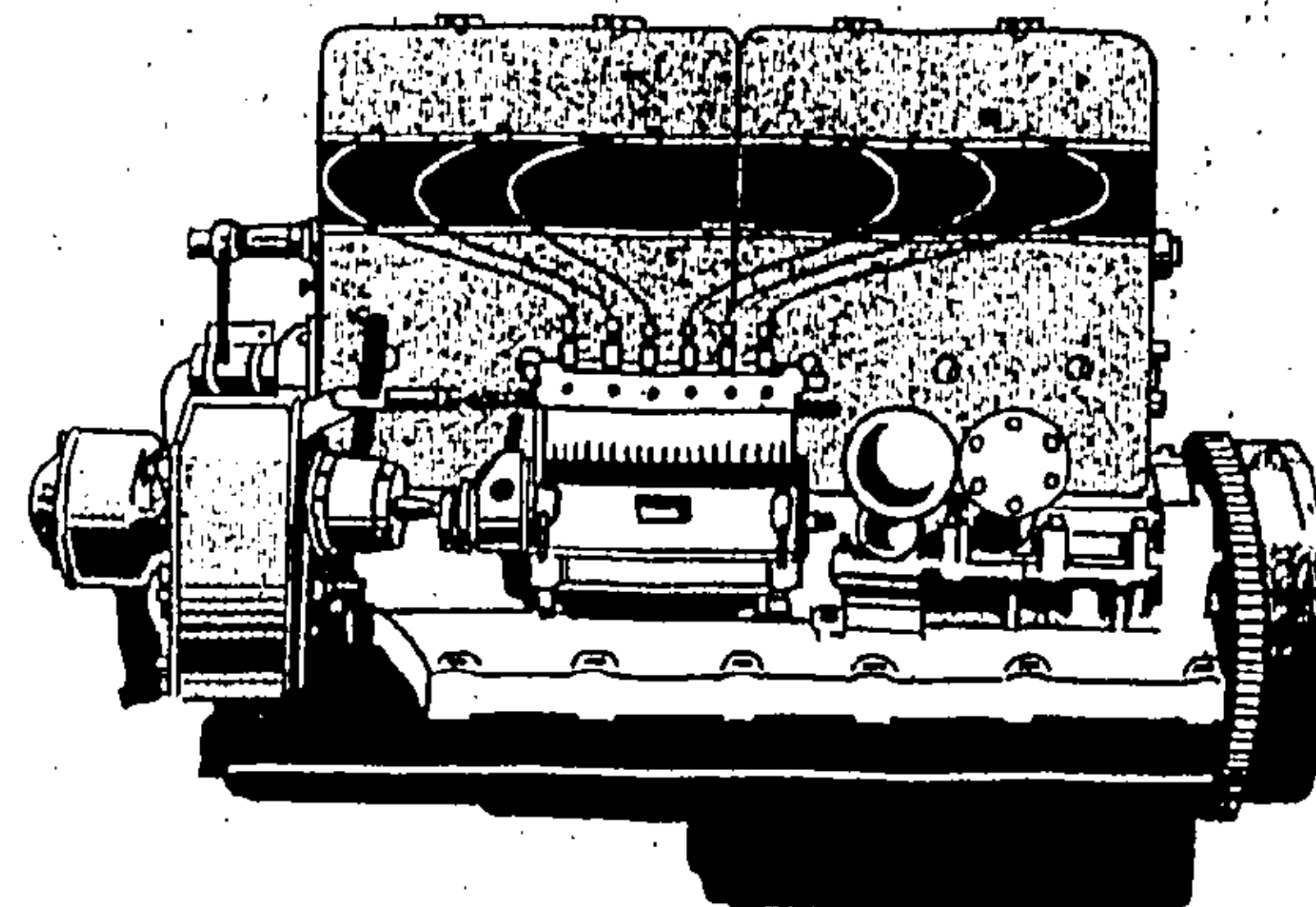
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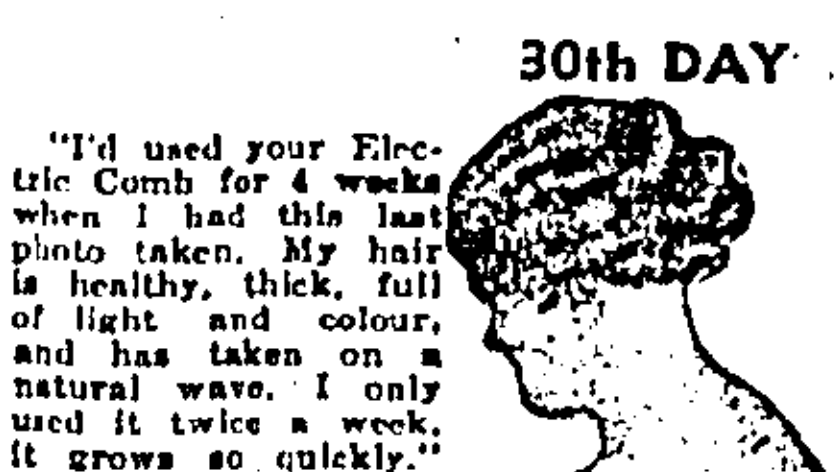
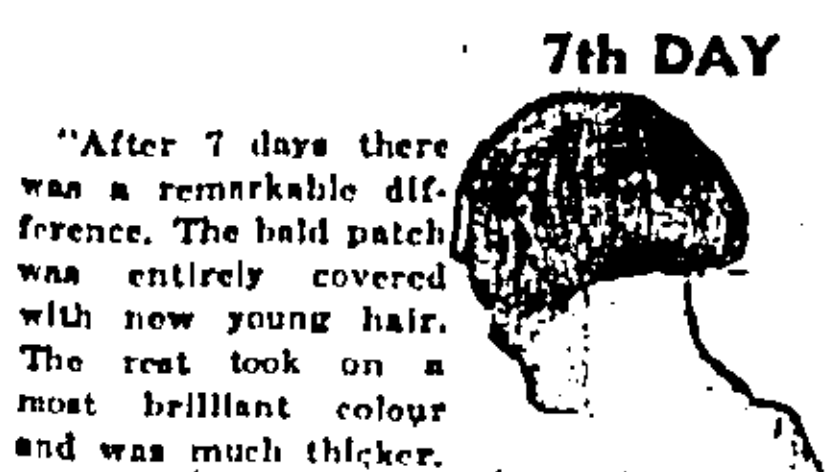
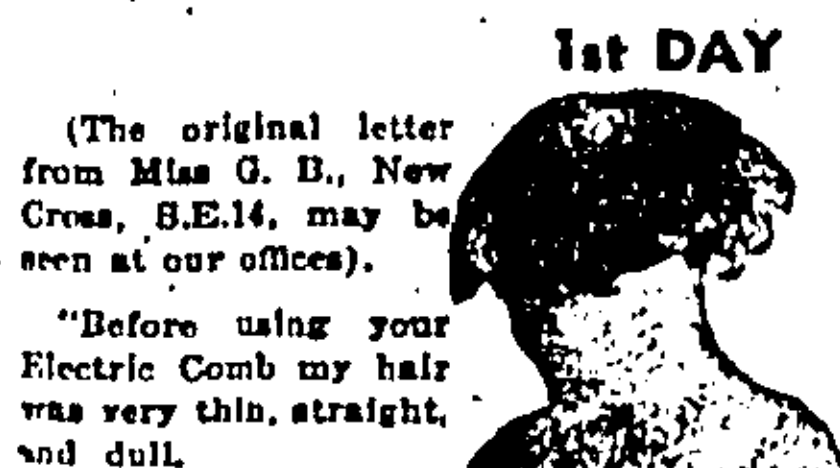


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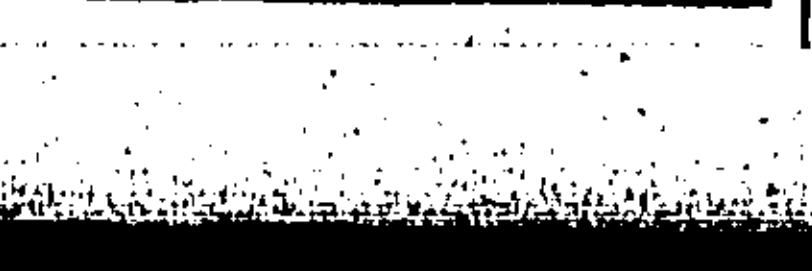
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The despatch of mails via Siberia is temporarily suspended until
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Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded
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INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Calcutta and Straits	Talma	July 26.
Shanghai and Swatow	King Yuan	July 26.
Shanghai	Eumaeus	July 26.
Batavia	Tinegara	July 26.
Shanghai	Alipore	July 27.
Manila	Emp. of Canada	July 27.
Europe via London (Letters and Papers) 30th June and Parcels, 28th June	Ranpura	July 27.
Japan	Nellore	July 27.
Japan	Kamo Maru	July 29.
Japan and Shanghai	Mantun	July 29.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shang- hai (Seattle, 9th July)	Pres. Cleveland	July 29.
Calcutta and Straits	Sulung	July 30.
Salgaon	Portos	August 2.
Japan and Shanghai	General Metzinger	August 2.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shang- hai (Vancouver B.C., 16th July)	Empress of Russia	August 3.
Australia and Manila	Tanda	August 3.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Samshul and Wuchow	Kong So	Mon., July 25, 4 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Burdwan	Mon., July 25, 5 p.m.
Poochow	Huichow	Tues., July 26, 8.30 a.m.
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tjisadane	Tues., July 26, 9.30 a.m.
Straits	Hong Peng	Tues., July 26, 12.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	Huiching	Tues., July 26, 1 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jackson	Tues., July 26, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow	Norviken	Tues., July 26, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, Central and South America and *Europe via San Francisco and *Europe via Siberia	Chichibu Maru	Wed., July 27. Registration .. 26th, 5 p.m. Letters .. 27th, 8.30 a.m. (Due San Francisco, 17th August). Shantung .. Wed., July 27, 1.30 p.m. Eumaeus .. Wed., July 27, 2.30 p.m. Tai Yuan .. Wed., July 27, 3.30 p.m. Talma .. Wed., July 27, 5 p.m. Peli Maru Thurs., July 28, 10.30 a.m. Canton .. Thurs., July 28, 2.30 p.m. Hydrangea .. Thurs., July 28, 3 p.m. Tinegara .. Thurs., July 28, 3.30 p.m.

Swatow	Registration .. 26th, 5 p.m.
Manila	Letters .. 27th, 8.30 a.m.
Amoy	(Due San Francisco, 17th August).
Amoy	Shantung .. Wed., July 27, 1.30 p.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Eumaeus .. Wed., July 27, 2.30 p.m.
Haiphong	Tai Yuan .. Wed., July 27, 3.30 p.m.
Swatow	Talma .. Wed., July 27, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U. S. A., Central and South America and *Europe via Van- couver B.C. and *Europe via Siberia	Peli Maru Thurs., July 28, 10.30 a.m. Canton .. Thurs., July 28, 2.30 p.m. Hydrangea .. Thurs., July 28, 3 p.m. Tinegara .. Thurs., July 28, 3.30 p.m.

*Shanghai	Empress of Canada .. Fri., July 29.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Parcels .. July 28, 5 p.m. Reg. .. July 29, 8.15 a.m. Letters .. July 29, 10 a.m. (Due Vancouver B.C., 16th Aug.) Conte Rosso .. Fri., July 29, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	Kamo Maru .. Fri., July 29.
*Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane	Reg. .. July 29, 11.45 a.m. Letters .. July 29, 12.30 p.m. (Due Thursday Island, 10th Aug.) Hai Ning .. Fri., July 29, 2 p.m.

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Nellore Parcels .. 29th 5 p.m. Reg. .. 30th 9.45 a.m. Letters .. 30th 10.30 a.m. (Due Marseilles, 26th August). Pres. Cleveland Sat., July 30, 4.30 p.m. Canton Maru .. Sun., July 31, 9 a.m. Hinsang .. Sun., July 31, 9 a.m.
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Manila	Registration .. 29th 5 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Letters .. 30th 9.45 a.m.
Sundakan	(Due Marseilles, 26th August).
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., *Central and South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C.	Pres. Cleveland Sat., July 30, 4.30 p.m. Canton Maru .. Sun., July 31, 9 a.m. Hinsang .. Sun., July 31, 9 a.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	Hikawa Maru .. Mon., Aug. 1.
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Reg. .. Aug. 1, 11.15 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Letters .. Aug. 1, Noon.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, *Egypt and *Europe via Marseilles	(Due Vancouver B.C., 22nd Aug.) Ship sails on 2nd Aug., at 7 a.m. Haiyang .. Tues., July 2, 1 p.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	Tonkin .. Tues., Aug. 2, 1.30 p.m.
Haiphong	Portos .. Tues., Aug. 2, 2 p.m.
Shanghai, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, *Egypt and *Europe via Marseilles	General Metzinger .. Tues., Aug. 2.

Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	K.P.O.
Haiphong	Reg. .. Aug. 2, 1 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Letters .. Aug. 2, 1 p.m.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, *Egypt and *Europe via Marseilles	G. P. O. Reg. .. Aug. 2, 1.45 p.m. Letters .. Aug. 2, 2.30 p.m. (Due Marseilles, 3rd September)

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By Joann Savoy.

If you want to appear cool, attractive and decidedly feminine, now that summer is here, but don't want to sacrifice your appearance of efficiency just when it is most needed, you will appreciate a frock that can take tricks in all sorts of hands.

The girl who is taking off her jacket is dressed for the office, but she doesn't need to be afraid to meet anybody. Her white crepe de chine dress, with its tiny sleeves, is decorated with little beads of green, yellow, red and royal blue, hemstitched on the dress. The dress is fitted with a svelt line and belted. The jacket is royal blue and uses the colour motif of the beads on the sleeves.

This frock is cool and refreshing, and the beads give it just the right splash of excitement to merit a second glance.

The girl who is telephoning is wearing a tan bark coloured non-crushable linen outfit which features a jacket with short sleeves that give a cape effect. The jacket buttons snugly at the waistline with a double-breasted effect.

A large white pique bow, on the neck of the dress, shows outside the jacket, tying up the whole ensemble with an effective flair that succeeds in retaining its touch of smartness.

HAIR AND VEILS.

Return to Smart Hairdressing.

There is at the moment in Paris a very noticeable return to real hairdressing, at any date, for the evening. The women who still have long hair, as well as some of those who have managed to grow their hair again, now pile it high on their heads or coil it in long plaits. Indeed, there is every sign that dressing the hair for the evening will become an arduous task.

The two rows of sausage curls running diagonally across the head give an interesting silhouette from almost any angle, and make this coiffure of sufficient importance for evening clothes.

A blonde head seen with this coiffure was charming. Eliminating the wave entirely from the back, large soft undulations are made at the sides, and the ends swirled in a definite curl behind the ear. For the girl who insists upon long hair, Paris has devised this charming way of handling it. The long ends are crossed and pinned low at the neck, while the

short ends over the ears are curled in definite rolls.

An interesting development of the waxing of the hair which was popular last year consists in plastering it smoothly round and round the head, finishing in a slight cone on the top. The effect is that of a fine straw hat under which escape a few points of hair which are cut to soften the lines of the face.

The new gossamer veils covering the forehead only are often beautifully embroidered with false eyebrows, delicately tinted to the shade of the hair.

Another forehead veil is made with a single black velvet patch in the middle; others have patches in half moons and stars, while a coach-in-four appeared across the forehead of a pretty platinum blonde, who attracted much attention at the races the other day.

BRIGHTER BATH-ROOMS.

Facio flannels may now be obtained in almost any colour and design, and the latest idea is to have flannels to match one's bath mat. The mats are made of rubber, similar to that which forms bath "loofahs"; they are coloured in bright designs, and the flannels are dyed to match.

CHANGE.

Desires Realised Too Late.

If you ever want to know just how changeable you are, try this plan.

Look back, and if your memory is not very reliable, consult any old diaries or letters or photographs or anything else you may possess which might help you to remember the details you want to recall.

Deliberately collect the desires you have had, the ambitions you cherished, and the dreams you hoped would come true, and compare your feeling towards these things now.

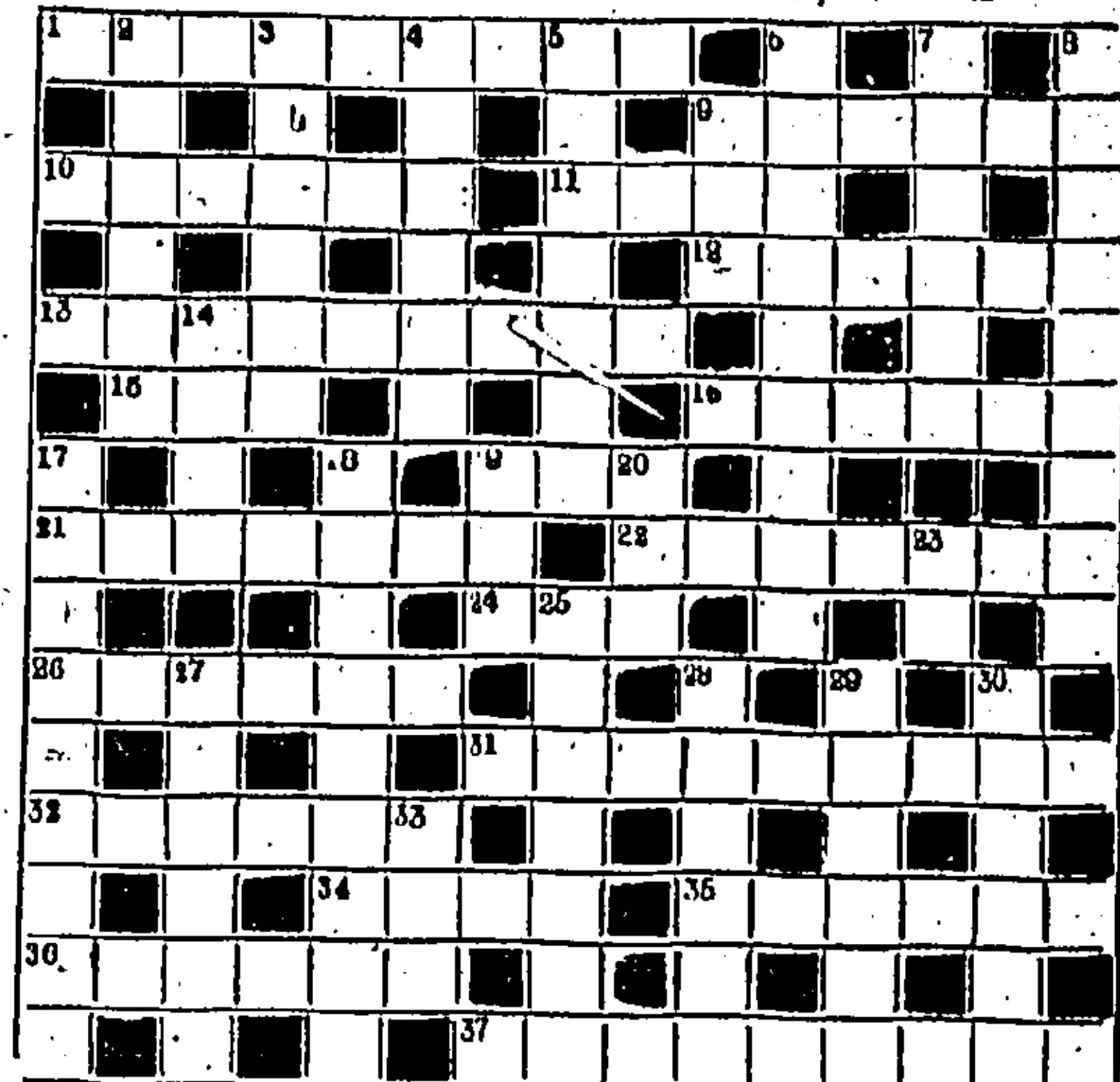
You will probably be amazed at the number of times your feeling is one of intense relief that some particular wish was not fulfilled or ambition realised.

No more cruel jest could be played by Fate upon certain people than to grant them some of their desires just too late.

There are people whom Destiny appears to mock in this fashion.

Their darling desires are realised one after another as soon as they have reached the point of realising their futility.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across

- 1 It is (to put it mildly) rash to let a great novelist take second place to a jester.
- 9 A priest may be found in this epithet for judgment.
- 10 A sort of leather (ask a book-binder).
- 11 Part of a horse that croaks.
- 12 Get bigger and bigger, and apparently expire in the small hours.
- 13 Hesitant, but after losing its head, ought to be making a change.
- 15 To make a tuber of this, you must—so to speak—"rebut" it.
- 16 You might blame the tailor for this, but scarcely the doctor (two words).
- 19 The part of 31 Across that supplies the rest.
- 21 Item.
- 22 "O Company" appears to be an alternative position for this tropical river.
- 24 Quantity frequently sold.
- 26 Wine.
- 29 Not the tidliest feature of the stylish.
- 31 Assists your progress in a boat, and lands you in hospital.
- 32 Get to a marine in a liner for terrible weather.
- 34 A Shakespearean character.
- 36 In error, one of Mr. Wallace's seems to have got mixed up in it.
- 37 As a rule, with a bit of banter at the finish.

Down

- 2 A Midland town: old convicts would not pick it for choice.
- 3 Often styled uneasily, although a very respectable old tribe started it.
- 4 Goddess of the dawn.
- 5 Sport at heart, though no longer living.
- 6 Foxglove with anything from 1

to 9 on top.

- 7 On your this is to support you though it sounds like a 50 per cent. shrinkage.
- 8 To pay it costs nothing (apart from possible breach of promise).
- 9 Requires a French Marshal to become a British Admiral.
- 14 Survive after all the rest.
- 17 "Old John of Gaunt, time honour'd." ("Richard II.")
- 18 When applied to a farce it's no betokening terror.
- 19 Is that why peels is so slippery?
- 20 The kind of crib the schoolboy gave up long ago.
- 23 May be the prelude to perjury.
- 25 Upshot.
- 27 Love-affairs.
- 28 Epithet for a reader.
- 29 If you sacrificed a hundred, you might find it in Corsica; anyhow try a warm spot in Sicily.
- 30 The schoolboy named this Wessex spot as the Surrey Headquarters.
- 33 Turn up the gas and find it!

Saturday's Solution.

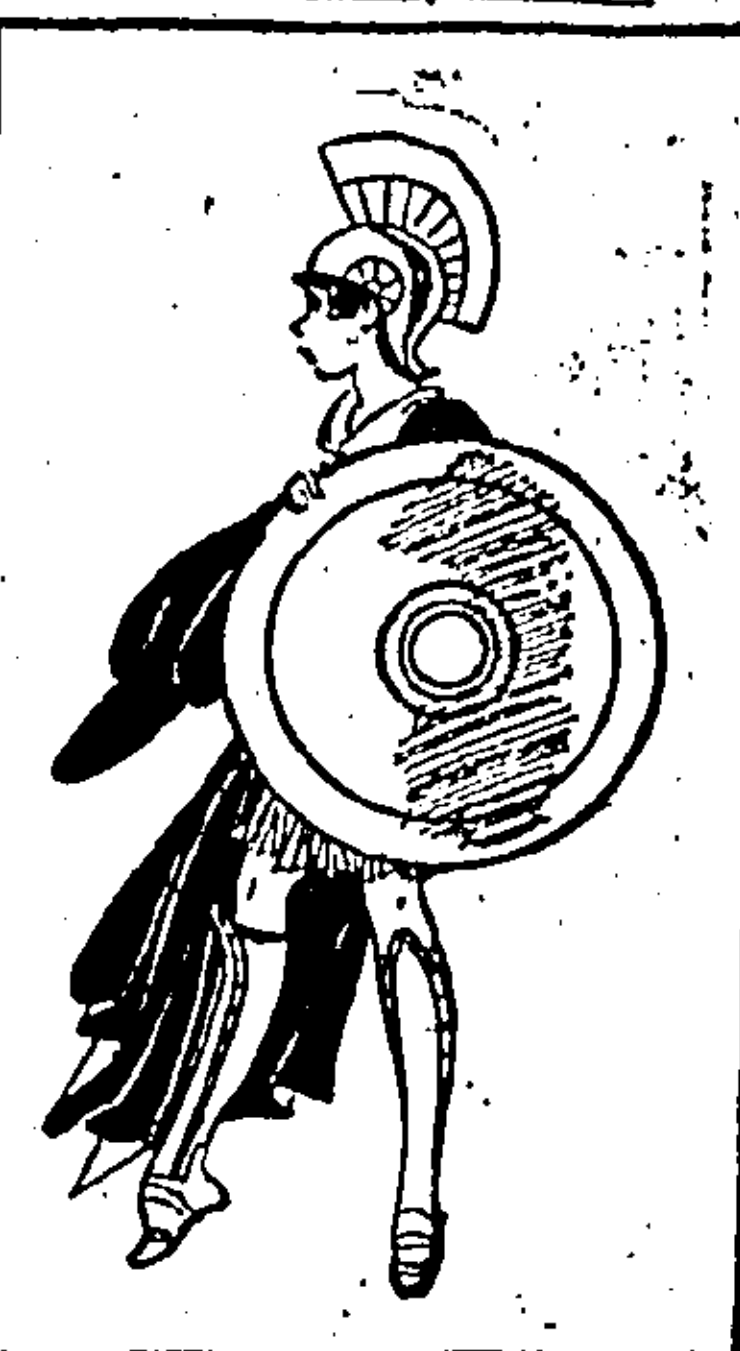
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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

A. O. F. C. QUOTATIONS FOR SATURDAY

New York, July 23.
Dow Jones Averages: July 22 July 23
30 Industrials 47.69 47.84
20 Rails 17.49 17.42
20 Utilities 18.98 18.99
Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co. report:
The market is steady. Business done:—400,000 shares.

	Last Price	To-day's Price
Air Reduction	\$37	\$37 1/2
Allied Chemical		
Dye	40 1/2	40 1/2
American Can	34 1/2	34 1/2
Telephone	76 1/2	77
American Tobacco		
"B"	57 1/2	57 1/2
Auburn	54 1/2	54 1/2
Borden Company	24 1/2	25
Canadian Pacific	11 1/2	12 1/2
Consolidated Gas		
New York	39 1/2	39 1/2
Drugs, Inc.	29 1/2	30 1/2
De Pont de Nemours	24	24
Eastman Kodak	38 1/2	39
General Electric	11	11
General Foods	22 1/2	23
General Motors	9 1/2	9
International Harvester		
International Tel. & Tel.	13 1/2	14 1/2
Liggett & Myers "B"	47	46 1/2
Loew's Inc.	19 1/2	19 1/2
Pacific Gas & Electric		
Pennsylvania Railway	22	21 1/2
	9 1/2	9 1/2



Women throughout the ages have found it convenient to forget their ages.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Good Old Poodle!

By Blosser

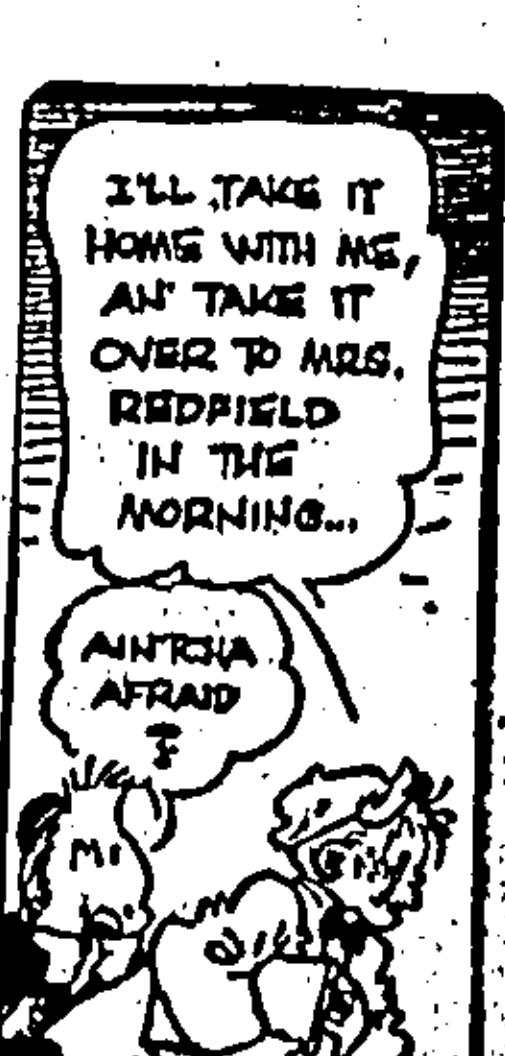
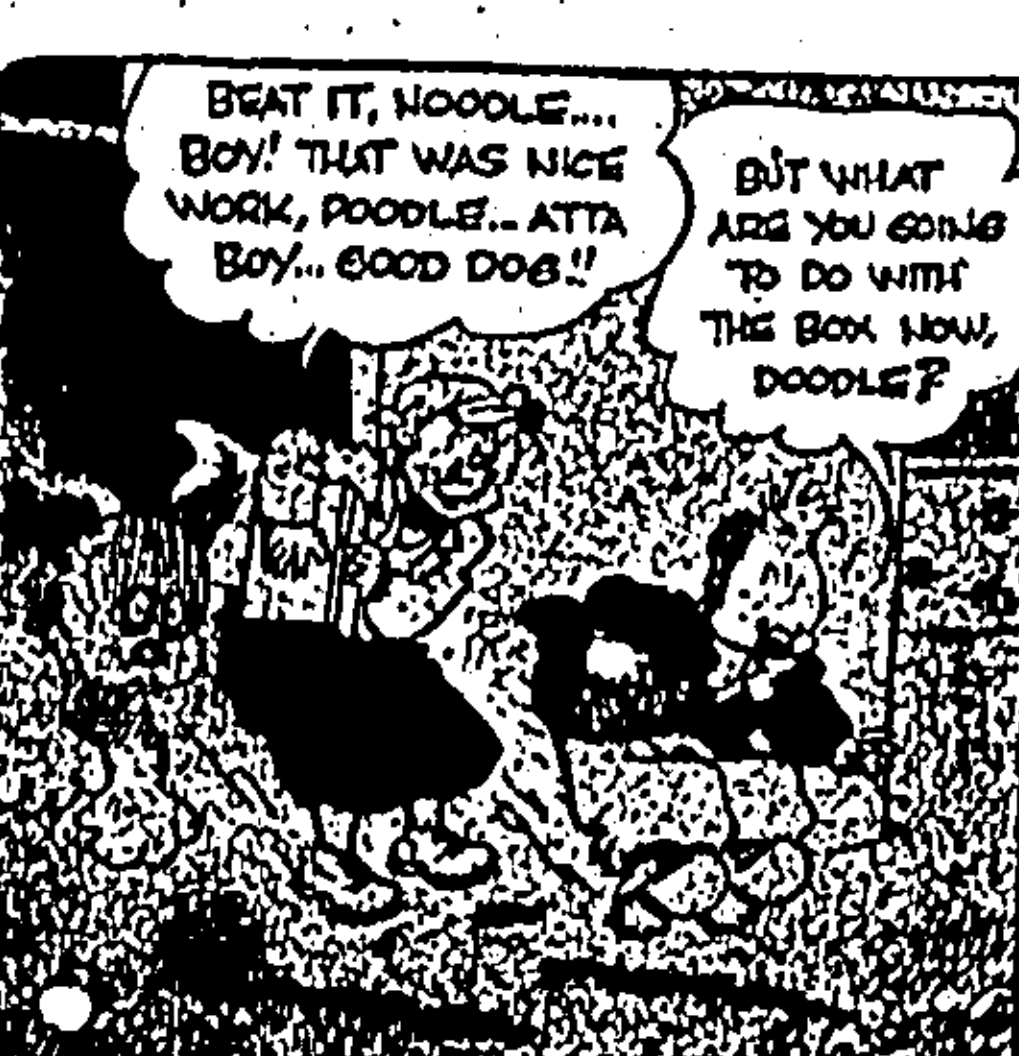
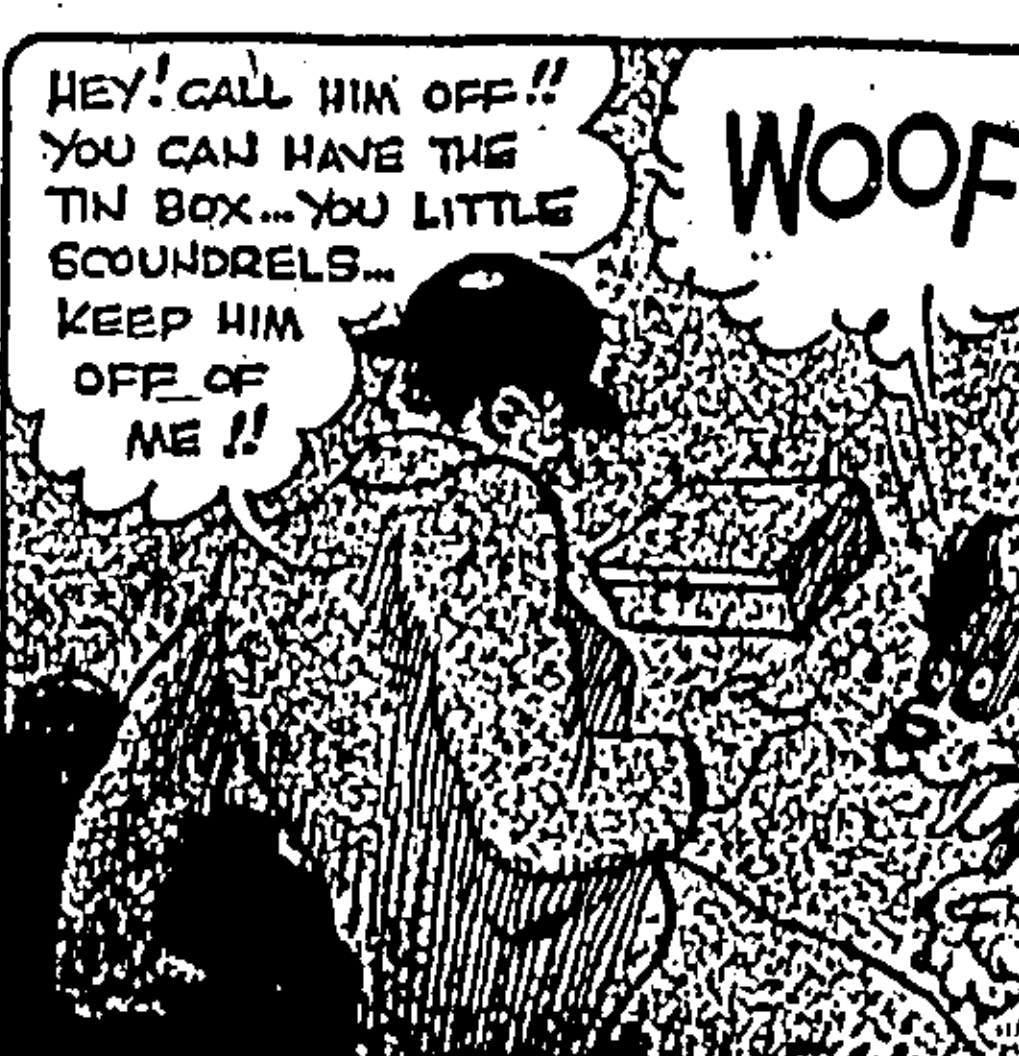
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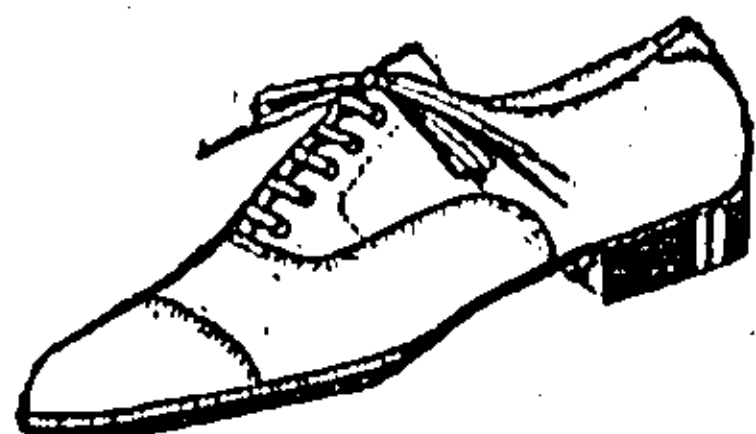
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MONDAY, JULY 25, 1932.

THE WHITE SCOURGE

Tuberculosis, a disease which takes a heavy toll of life in Hongkong, continues to be the subject of much concern in Great Britain, where, despite stringent measures to combat it, the death-roll totals about 40,000 a year. Much is being done by sanatorium treatment, but local authorities which run these institutions have no power to keep patients under treatment. The result, in many cases, is that when there are signs of improvement, the patients want to return to their homes, where they are not able to be looked after so well as in these special institutions. In this way, a good deal of the work done by sanatorium treatment is made of less effect than it would otherwise be. One medical man, we see, thinks that too much is made of what he terms "the sanctity of the home." He points out that in some countries people affected with tuberculosis are not permitted to live with their families, and concludes that Britain will eventually have to deal with the problem on similar lines.

It may not be generally known that local authorities in England are already empowered to apply to a court of summary jurisdiction for the compulsory removal of any person suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis in an infectious state where the patient's accommodation is such that proper precautions cannot be taken to prevent the spread of infection, and where serious risk of infection is caused to other people. These powers, however, are seldom used, possibly on the ground of sentimentality. In this connexion, it has been pointed out that the cruelty of removing a parent from his or her children is as nothing compared with the cruelty of infecting young people. Something is being done by rehousing sufferers in better homes and in stressing the importance of consumptives having a room to themselves. As to the causes of the disease, these are mostly associated with poverty, dirt, overcrowding, and ignorance. Chronic overwork, improper feeding, and worry are also known factors. Direct inhalation from a person suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis is

said to be the commonest form of infection. In the case of children, milk from tuberculous cows is a cause of bone and joint disease. While it is estimated that about forty per cent. of the cows in England are tuberculous, only from one to two per cent. yield tuberculous milk. The registration of dairies provides excellent opportunities for tracking such milk, and it may be noticed that local authorities have power to prohibit consumptives from handling dairy products.

It has to be remembered, of course, that in tuberculosis we are dealing with a disease which, starting with infection by the tubercle germ, is yet dependent on other factors for its development. A large proportion of the urban population in Britain, possibly up to ninety per cent., has been infected with the tubercle bacillus at the age of maturity, yet only seven or eight per cent. develop the disease. The active cause of the breakdown in such instances is usually anything which seriously impairs a person's vitality. By slow degrees, the disease is being countered, but complete victory is still a long way off. Housing reform and sanatorium treatment are the most effective agencies for battling with the disease, and as time goes on it is confidently felt that the present relatively high rate of mortality will be materially reduced.

Must Women Smoke?

Fashion is not only a hard task-mistress but a crafty one, who rules most rigidly those who fondly believe they rule her. She has been laughing up her sleeve the last few years at women who some time ago would not have dared to smoke in private nor dared in public, but who now do not dare not to. And it may be amusing to Dame Fashion to recall that many of them took up the cigarette fad as a gesture of independence—to note that the woman who once blew smoke in the face of convention now knows what it is to have convention blow it in hers. It takes no more than casual observation to convince one that many women smoke against their will. If not, why do they contort their usually pleasing features into such odd and unattractive patterns? People are expected to look so only when swallowing their first oysters, sitting on disintegrating rocking chairs, or posing for flashlight photographs. This is not to say that women who feel obliged to smoke despite repugnance to the practice should not continue to make faces while doing so; certainly they should have some liberty. One cannot help wondering, though, what has become of that independence which they sought to declare with the aid of the cigarette. Observant persons sometimes remark that at many places where men and women gather in the name of fashion there is more smoking done among the otherwise fair sex than among their escorts. How is one to account for this? Is it that many women smoke for fear of being thought unfashionable? The men are inclined to think that is the answer, and to comment that the ladies who turned to smoking as a means of making themselves "equal" with men have sacrificed the freedom of refusing a cigarette. Naturally the men are beginning to feel superior again, at least in this respect.

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market on Saturday has been received by Messrs. Pen-treath and Co.

London Terminals.
August 1932 6/1½ up ½d.
December 1932 6/3¼ down ¼d.
March 1933 6/6½ up ¼d.
May 1933 6/8 no change.
Buyers at above prices, sellers asking ¼d-½d more.

New York Terminals.
No quotations.
Sourabaya (23/7/32).—Trust sold further 4,000 tons Whites at £8.00, also 10,000 tons Browns, price not quoted.

DAY BY DAY

EXPERIENCE IS THE ONLY MASTER, ALTHOUGH THE SCHOOL FEES ARE SOMEWHAT HEAVY.—*Righter.*

The P. and O. s.s. Ranpura, from Singapore with the English mails, is due here at noon on Wednesday.

A Manila Observatory warning issued at 8.15 a.m. to-day states that a typhoon is situated more than 300 miles east of Luzon, moving W. or W.N.W.

During the week-end a thief entered a cabin occupied by Mr. Harland, Chief officer of H.M.S. Pearl, alongside the Royal Naval Dockyard, and stole a fountain pen and pencil valued by the owner at \$50.

Among departures by the Sirdhana were Senor J. C. Mognaschi and his wife. Senor Mognaschi goes to Calcutta to take up the appointment of Consul for Peru, after three years in Hongkong as Chancellor of the Peruvian Consulate.

Before Mr. Wynne-Jones, a 15-year-old Chinese boy was charged to-day with the unlawful possession of an umbrella which was believed to have been stolen. The prosecuting police officer, Inspector Russell, explained that a detective saw the boy trying to push the umbrella, which, Inspector countered, was unusual procedure on a rainy day. The lad was cautioned in view of his age, and the Inspector was directed to retain the umbrella until the owner could be found.

Despite a hurried, last-minute change in the programme, due to the non-arrival of the advertised film, the King's Theatre management provided patrons with excellent entertainment yesterday. "Two Kinds of Women" was the picture screened, and it was quite an entertaining study. The theme is not strong, but the most was made of it by such favourites as Miriam Hopkins, Phillip Holmes, Wynne Gibson and Irving Pichel. Admirably produced, with plenty of movement, "Two Kinds of Women" can be recommended.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Big Fish Caught At Sham Tseng.

[To the Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.]

Sir,—It is to be regretted that the gentlemen who sent you a photograph of a big fish caught off Sham Tseng, which was published in your pictorial Supplement on Saturday, appear to have mistaken the fish for a cod. A glance shows it to be of the family of fish known as the Scombridae, which includes the giant mackerels and tunny fish. A closer examination of the photo and the weight and size indicate that it is one of the so-called Spanish Mackerels, *Cybinus Sp.*, which occur in different parts of the Pacific and China Sea, and run to an average of 30 lbs. in these parts. A similar species has been taken off the Great Barrier Reef, off Queensland, running up to 100 lbs.

Some years ago, I knew a man who used to troll for them from a yacht off the east coast of the Malay Peninsula using fish from eight inches to a foot long as bait, and his catches used to average over 20 lbs. apiece. With wire lines and several hooks, it was not unusual for him to hook two at a time of these huge Spanish Mackerel.—Yours, etc., V. J.

A MAZE OF PROBLEMS

POLICY AT OTTAWA

By SIR ARTHUR SALTER.

THE preparations for the Ottawa Conference have been elaborate. It will be richly equipped in personnel. The public expectations are high. The difficulties—and the danger—are alike great. For failure would be another shattering blow to confidence and perhaps an element of poison in Imperial relations; and a proclaimed success of a certain kind might later prove as bad as failure.

What does success mean? It means, I suggest, for Ottawa, as for every other Conference of this period, that the net result is an increase in the total volume of trade, the total mass of profitable exchanges; and this total must include internal trade, reciprocal (Imperial) trade, and external (foreign) trade alike. If Imperial trade is increased without equal or greater loss of our opportunities of trade with other countries, well and good. But an increase at the cost of greater reduction elsewhere would be disastrous. We must add to the dimensions of the cake we have to share, not merely carve a larger slice out of a total cake no greater or diminished. Canada cannot afford to disrupt her trade with her great neighbour. We can not afford to abandon our trade with either the Argentine, Scandinavia, Europe or the East.

This is a quite possible objective if we all pursue it with determination, and reject all policies inconsistent with it. For there are several ways in which we can increase Imperial trade without jeopardising foreign trade.

One of the most valuable results of Ottawa which would help to this end might be to obtain a concerted monetary policy. This does not mean a single Empire currency, a common Imperial Central Bank and all that would imply. For the time it would be enough for us all to agree upon a definite objective in our policy. I do not think this would be difficult. I think it should be that of increasing the general level of wholesale prices to some clearly fixed point not higher than that of 1929. It is this were agreed and declared, a stable relation between our currencies would follow almost automatically, and could easily be secured, with negligible fluctuations, in practice. With such a basis we could enlarge the sterling area by similar understandings or agreements till it covered half the world. And with this strength behind us (or perhaps at once) we could co-ordinate our policy with America, who is already proceeding along this line, but with much greater difficulty, because the policy of other countries is uncertain.

The advantages of this policy would be enormous. Combined with arrangements to break through, to break down, the present barriers to trade, it would restart economic activities and reduce the burden both of debt and fixed charges. And concerted in this way the dangers of an inflationary policy getting out of hand would be avoided.

There is much else, too, that can be usefully done before we come to the sphere of tariffs. The debt

problem might be tackled, for an increase of price will only mitigate, it cannot completely solve it. Imperial research and institutions can be usefully extended, in particular by the creation of a permanent Imperial economic organisation. The negotiations for a division of function between different kinds of industrial enterprise can be developed, each Dominion and ourselves undertaking not to foster, at least by tariff, certain classes of production.

It is on tariffs and preferences, however, that public attention has, perhaps unhappily, been mainly concentrated. If we are not to suffer serious disillusionment, we must understand very clearly some of the conditions upon which the negotiations can alone proceed. Many people, misled by the phrase "Empire Free Trade," and ignorant of the extent to which the Dominions have been industrialised under tariff protection, are under the illusion that the volume of trade can be immensely increased by the preferential entry of food and raw materials from the Dominions here, and the preferential entry of our manufactures into the Dominions. They must realise that the Dominions have never for a moment intended, and cannot be expected, to let us seriously compete with the industries they mean to maintain. A preference upon such articles as would in any case come from outside, yes; but that is a much more limited affair. There is also some reason to fear a serious divergence in the point of view from which we and they are approaching the negotiations. We now have a general tariff, from which we have provisionally exempted the Dominions. We shall naturally inquire what new preferences we may expect in return for an extension of this exemption. But they may expect to negotiate from the present basis, including the exemption, and ask what new advantages we shall give each other.

It may well prove in these circumstances that it will not be possible to conclude an agreement which will result in more than a moderate increase in the volume of trade with each other. Even that will be a success, though a limited one, on one vital condition, namely, that it is not based on an understanding that we will maintain high tariffs against foreign countries. Such an understanding would be fatal to our bargaining power with countries with whom agreements are vital to us. We must be free to make such arrangements as will maintain our trade with such countries as the Argentine and Scandinavia, with whom our trade is complementary rather than competitive and of the greatest value to us. But such arrangements may well be difficult to reconcile with the kind of preferential entry the Dominions may ask for their produce. We must also be able to take advantage of what is likely to be a greater opportunity than we have ever had of bargaining down European tariffs, as has been indicated by the remarkable initiative of Belgium and Holland and the recent news from France. But to bargain we must be as free to reduce tariffs as to impose them. Here, perhaps, the difficulty will be less, if we are careful and determined, for while the Dominions are determined to manufacture for their own markets, they do not in general expect to export industrial products to Europe.

This then, in my view, should be the basic principle of all our policy: we must increase the volume of trade with the Dominions in such a way that the total volume of our whole trade (including both the Dominions and foreign countries) is greater than it would otherwise be. If we achieve this we succeed; if we do not, we fail; and failure would mean long enduring regrets, of which the consequences would necessarily be felt in every sphere of Imperial relations.

WATER LEVELS.

WEST NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water in English feet on the dates named in the West North and East Rivers:

	Highest on record.	Lowest on record.	23	24
West River at Shihching ..	41.7	0	13.9	14.1
North River at Tungshing ..	26.4	0	7.5	5.4
North River at Samahui ..	27.5	0	8.1	—
East River at Shihching ..	18.5	0	4.8	4.8



"I didn't think so much of Europe."

HONGKONG TRADE CLEVELAND CLIMB OVER FIGURES

UPWARD TREND IN VOLUME

BUYING BRITISH

A steady improvement in the volume of the trade of the Colony, despite the current world depression, is revealed in the latest official statistics, covering the first half of 1932. In particular, there is a welcome advance in British imports.

The returns, issued by the Statistical Branch of the Imports and Exports Department, show that the declared values of merchandise imported into Hongkong during the first half year of 1932 amounted to \$335.4 millions, as compared with \$367.0 millions in the first half year of 1931, while exports totalled \$242.3 millions as compared with \$272.7 millions.

In terms of sterling values, however, both imports and exports showed increases, imports in the first half year of 1932 amounting to £17.7 millions, and exports to £16.0 millions as compared with £13.2 millions.

BRITAIN'S RISE.

Excluding imports from China, the largest share of the import trade was credited to the United Kingdom. In 1930 the British share was 9.4%, in the first six months of 1931 it was 12.0% and in the first half of this year it rose still further to 13.8%.

The Netherlands East Indies, U.S.A., French Indo-China, Siam, India and Belgium all recorded slightly increased shares of the total, while the Australian share notably advanced from 0.8% to 2.2%.

Imports from Japan declined heavily. In 1930 they accounted for 12.3% of the total, falling to 10.0% in the first half of last year and 2.9% this year, on account of the Chinese boycott of Japanese goods.

HALF YEARLY COMPARISONS.

In the following table the total values of imports and exports of merchandise are given in £s and \$s millions for the first six months of the years 1923/32:—

	Imports	Exports
1923	\$20.9	\$30.2
	\$262.2	\$264.4
1924	\$36.4	\$33.5
	\$369.4	\$284.8
1925	\$30.8	\$29.3
	\$268.6	\$255.6
1931	\$17.7	\$13.2
	\$367.0	\$272.7
1932	\$22.1	\$16.0
	\$335.4	\$242.3

JUNE FIGURES.

Imports of merchandise into Hongkong during the month of June amounted to a value of \$50.1 millions (£3,144,093) as compared with \$57.3 millions (£2,745,420) in June of last year, representing a decrease of \$7.2 millions or 12.6%.

Exports were valued at \$33.6 millions (£2,111,643), a decrease of \$10.2 millions (£2,101,421) or 23.3 per cent. It will be seen, however, that the sterling values are increased.

DEATH OF MR. N. M. BUX

POPULAR INDIAN RESIDENT

By the death of Mr. N. M. Bux, at 3 o'clock this morning, the local Indian community has suffered the loss of one of its most popular members. Mr. Bux was the manager of the Victoria Printing Press. News of his death will come as a surprise to his many friends. He was stricken down a fortnight ago with fever and sank rapidly.

Mr. Bux was well known in sporting circles, being a brother of the one time champion pugilist, Iron Bux. In his younger days he turned out regularly for the Indian Recreation Club Cricket and lawn bowls teams and in more recent years he served on the Committee of that Club. He was also a member of the Craighenower Cricket Club. The sympathy of Mr. Bux's many friends will be extended to his widow and family of six children. The funeral takes place this evening at the Mohammedan Cemetery at 6.30 p.m.

For having boarded the s.s. Kalyan without the permission of the master, an unemployed Chinese was fined \$10 and one week's imprisonment by the Hon. Comdr. Hole, at the Marine Court this morning.

Cincinnati Destined for Doormat

New York, July 24.

Hack Wilson (Dodgers), Moore (Cubs), Hemmley (Cubs), Sule (Pirates), Fothergill (Chicago White Sox), Brown and Crowdy (Cleveland), Swell (Yankees), Walker and Rich (Detroit), Goslin (St. Louis Browns) and Alexander (Boston Red Sox) scored home runs to-day.

Several double-headers were played. Only the Cardinals and the Indians took both games. Results:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston	4	12	0
New York	3	9	1
Boston	3	12	0
New York	7	13	3
Brooklyn	5	9	0
Philadelphia	4	8	1
Chicago	7	13	2
Pittsburgh	2	7	0
Chicago	5	11	1
Pittsburgh	7	12	0
Cincinnati	3	10	2
St. Louis	7	13	2
Cincinnati	0	6	2
St. Louis	1	6	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago	7	17	4
Cleveland	11	3	
Chicago	6	16	2
Cleveland	9	14	0
New York	9	11	1
Philadelphia	3	7	2
St. Louis	2	5	2
Detroit	6	8	0
St. Louis	10	14	3
Detroit	7	14	2
Washington	12	14	1
Boston	6	13	4

NORWEGIAN SHIP IN DISTRESS

NOW BEING TOWED TO HONGKONG

Battling against heavy seas, the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company's tug Henry Keswick is expected to arrive in Hongkong late to-night with the disabled Norwegian steamer Hirundo in tow.

News that the Hirundo was in distress was received here on Saturday, and arrangements were immediately made by the agents, Messrs. Thoreson and Company, to despatch a tug to her assistance. The S. O. S., which was picked up by the Cape D'Aguiar radio station, intimated that the Norwegian steamer was in distress 260 miles south of Hongkong. Fears were entertained for the safety of the passengers and crew, in view of the unsettled conditions in the China Sea.

With the aid of the wireless equipment aboard the tug, the two ships were kept in communication with each other, and early yesterday morning the Henry Keswick found the disabled steamer. Lines were put on board the Hirundo, and the difficult task of towing her to Hongkong was commenced.

The Hirundo left Swatow for Bangkok at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, carrying several deck passengers. The SOS was sent out late on Saturday night. The vessel's position was then 12 North 118 East, but she drifted considerably before being picked up by the tug, at noon yesterday. It is believed the vessel's rudder was carried away in the heavy seas.

SIKONG'S APPEAL

ASSISTANCE TO REPEL TIBETAN INVASION

Shanghai, July 24. The people of Sikong Province have sent an urgent appeal to the Government for assistance to repel the Tibetan invasion. They declare the Tibetans are preparing at Tekkeh for a counter offensive, and Dalai Lama himself is reported to be proceeding from Lassa to direct the campaign, while fresh military supplies are being sent to Tekkeh from Lassa.

It is requested that the Government despatch material to the Szechuenese generals to enable them to assist Sikong to repel the Tibetan attack.—*Reuter's Special.*

Failing to appear before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning on a charge of driving a public motor car in Queen's Road East without a licence, Mr. Peter Leefe, described as a clerk residing at 25, The Peak, had his bail of \$20 exonerated.

Two laborers were fined \$10 and one week's imprisonment each by the Hon. Comdr. Hole at the Marine Court this morning, for using bright lights when fishing in Kowloon Bay.



The late Mr. Florens Ziegfeld, of "The Follies" fame, whose death has just been reported.

TRADE MARKS INFRINGEMENT

MATCH IMPORTERS TO APOLOGISE

A summons against Messrs. Him Loong, of 86, Des Voeux Road West, accusing them of possession of matches on which were applied infringed trade marks, was withdrawn by the Cathay Match Co. of Shanghai, when Mr. O. E. C. Marton appeared for the complainants before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning. The defendants were alleged to have had the matches in their possession on board the s.s. Tai Poo Shek, at a wharf at West Point.

Mr. Marton, in asking permission to withdraw the summons, said that as soon as the summons was served on Messrs. Him Loong they went to the complainant and made a clean breast of the whole affair. They admitted that the boxes of matches bore infringed trade marks and agreed to give an undertaking not to use that trade mark again in Hongkong. They also agreed to give a public apology in two Chinese newspapers to be approved by the complainants.

They further agreed to return to Macao, where the goods came from, all the boxes of matches which were seized by the police under warrant. The defendants were prepared to pay the costs of the prosecution and all costs in sending the cargo back to Macao. That was perfectly satisfactory as far as the Cathay Match Co. were concerned.

Altogether 49 tins and 29 boxes of matches were seized. The summons was accordingly dismissed.

POLICE RESERVE

ORDERS FOR THE CURRENT WEEK

Orders by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police, state:

Chinese Company.

Training Course—Part 11.—Constable R64 Shek Pui Tim has been passed out as efficient in Part 11 of Training Course (knowledge of Police duties and regulations). All recruits will attend at the Chinese Company's Headquarters on Tuesday, July 26th, at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

Re-Entry Practice.—Revolver practice will be carried out by members of the Chinese Company on the Kennedy Road Range on Wednesday, July 27th, at 5.30 p.m. under Sub Inspector A. L. Hopkins. All members who have been detailed will assemble at the Range at that time.

Inspection Parade.—All ranks of the Chinese Company will parade at Central Police Station on Thursday, August 4th, for a general inspection of equipment etc. by the Company Commander. Fall in at 5.30 p.m. sharp. Dress—White Uniform Cap with White Cover, Belt, Truncheon, Whistle, Armband and Bag, "Pocket Policeman" and note-book to be carried. Those not in possession of uniform will attend in mufti. No members may be absent from this parade without leave from the Company Commander. The Equipment Officer will make it a point of being present. Recruits will attend.

Flying Squad.

The final instructional patrol of the month of the Hongkong section will take place on Friday, July 29th. All members must attend. Members will fall in at Central Police Station at 5.15 p.m. sharp. Dress—White Uniform and Cap with White Cover.

Reserve Emergency.

Defendu Class.—The weekly defendu class will meet in the gymnasium at Central Police Station on Friday, July 29th at 5.30 p.m. under Sub Inspector (R) W. V. Field.

Equipment.—All members who have not returned their Black Belts, holsters and pouches are ordered to hand them in to the Police Reserve Office at once. No new Belts will be issued until all Black Belts have been returned.

(Sgd. D. L. King,
D. S. P. (R).)

While on a visit yesterday to a friend, Mrs. Mooney, at 60, Argyle Street, Kowloon, Mrs. Lam Ho, of 514, Canton Road, was bitten by a dog owned by Mrs. Mooney. The animal was afterwards destroyed by Police Sergeant Clark.

DUMPING RUBBISH IN HARBOUR

NEW METHOD BROUGHT TO LIGHT

A new method of dumping rubbish in the harbour was described by Sergeant Hudson when prosecuting the steerman of a junk before the Hon. Comdr. Hole, at the Marine Court this morning.

The defendant, Chan Kwan, was charged with having dumped rubbish at Kowloon Bay without the permission of the Harbour Master. He pleaded not guilty.

Sergeant Hudson said that at 5 p.m. yesterday he was in No. 5 police launch in Kowloon Bay. He passed close under the stern of the defendant junk, and noticed a long trail of discoloured, dirty water. He boarded the junk, and found that she was rigged up with four chutes about 8 inches by 2 feet square passing from the upper deck through the bottom of the vessel. Instead of the rubbish being thrown over the side of the junk, it was released and the rubbish emptied into the chutes. It was quite a new idea.

Comdr. Hole.—What was the nature of the trail?

Sergeant Hudson.—Muddy, discoloured water. The cargo carried by the junk was composed of mud and rubble.

Defendant said he had permission to deposit the cargo at Sung Wong Tai, Kowloon Bay. The device was to facilitate the discharge of the cargo.

Comdr. Hole.—But you were not depositing it in the place mentioned in the permit.

Defendant.—I did not throw any rubbish at the place mentioned by the Sergeant.

Comdr. Hole.—This is the first case of this sort which I have formally tried, and I will take a lenient view of it.

A fine of \$10 or one week's imprisonment was imposed.

JAPANESE PARTIES UNITE.

RIGHT AND LEFT WINGS OF PROLETARIANS

Tokyo, July 24. There was a significant political movement during the week-end when the right and left wings of the Japanese Proletarian Party decided to unite under the name of the People's Socialist Party.

This act unifies the movement into a single party for the first time. The party opposes capitalism and fascism.—*Reuter's Special.*

A boatman, charged before the Hon. Comdr. Hole, at the Marine Court this morning, with having moored his craft ashore at Tai Hing wharf, was fined \$20 or two weeks' imprisonment.

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New Engineering, \$15.6 n.
Shanghai Docks, \$15.76 n.
Lands, Hotels, etc.
Hotels (old), \$10.80 b.
Hotels (new), \$10.40 b.
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S'hai Lands, \$15.25 1/4 n.
Metropolitan Lands, \$15.10 n.
Humphreys, \$10 b.
Asia Realities "A", \$165 n.
Asia Realities "B", \$26 1/4 n.
Chinese Estates, \$100 b.
China Realities, \$15.11.40 n.
China Debentures, \$15.96 1/2 n.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME OF RECORDED MUSIC

By Z.H.W. on a wavelength of 855 metres. (815 K.C.S.).
5-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.
7-10.30 p.m. European Programme of Victor & H. M. V. records.
7 p.m. Stock Quotations, etc.
7.3-7.50 p.m. Variety.
Orchestral—Running Between the Handdrops
Bert Lown & His Hotel Billmore Orch.
Orchestral—When You Fall in Love, Fall in Love with Me
Rudy Valco & His Connecticut Yankees
10020.
Song—They All Make Love But Me
Song—Life's Delic (Comedienne) 10400.
Instrumental—Hullfitter
Instrumental—Piano Pastime
Three Brothers Nehring 10317.
Song—Up in the Clouds
Song—Kiss Your Hand, Madam
Austin East (Baritone) 10327.
Orchestral—Joy the Clown.
Orchestral—Close Your Eyes
Humorous Song—You Want Lovin', and I Want Love
Ann Penn 10349.
Humorous Song—Spread a Few Dark Shadows
Ann Penn 10349.
Vocal Duet—Mama (From "Viktor & Her Husband")
Vocal Duet—Mama (From "Viktor & Her Husband")
Oscar Denes & Lili Waldmuller 10346.
8 p.m. (Local Time & Weather Report).
7.50-8.20 p.m. Band Music.
(a) Air de Ballet
(b) Calliope (Chamade)
Pas Des Gymnastes (Chamade)
Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards
10501.
Forge in the Forest (Michaelis)
National Game (Scott)
Souza's Band 10101.
Wood Nymphs (Costes)
Parade of the Tin Soldiers (Jocell)
Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards
10501.
Until (Sanderson)
A Perfect Day (Bond)
Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards
10501.
8.20-9.50 p.m. The entire musical numbers of the Opera "The Mikado" (Gilbert & Sullivan) Recorded under the direction of Rupert D'Oyly Carte D1172/D1182.
9.50-10.27 p.m. Selections from Opera.
Song—Trovatore—Pierce Flames are Soaring (Verdi)
Song—Samson and Delilah—My Heart at thy Sweet Voice (Saint-Saens)
Louise Homer (Contralto) 1422.
Band—Mardi-Grasse (Flower)
Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards
10463.
Song—Don Giovanni—Pretty Lady (Mozart)
Song—Don Giovanni—Is a Maiden Fair and Glender (Mozart)
Fedor Chalkopin (Bass) 1593.
Orchestral—Aida—Fanciulla (Verdi, arr. Tavan)
Mary Weber & His Orchestra C2057.
Song—Mignon—Knevel Thuis the Landt (Thomas)
Song—Mignon—Here Am I in Her Boudoir (Thomas)
Lucresia Bori (Soprano) 1301.
10.27 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.
10.30 p.m. Close Down.
All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. B. Noutrie & Co.

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Peak Trams (old), \$16 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$7 1/2 n.
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Yaumati Ferries (old), \$34 b.
Yaumati Ferries (new), \$33 b.
China Lights (old), \$17.60 b.
China Lights (new), \$17 1/4 n.
H. K. Electric, \$72 1/2 b.
Macao Electric, \$24 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$12 n.
Telephones (F. P.), \$38 1/2 n.
Telephones (P. P.), \$21.80 b.
China Buses, \$15.12 n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/- n.
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Malabon Sugars, \$20 b.
Cald: Macg. (Ord.), \$15.14 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), \$15.10 1/2 n.
Canton Ice, \$6 n.
Cements (comb.), \$16.60 b.
Cements (old), \$11 1/2 n.
Cements (new), \$5 n.
H. K. Ropes, \$12.40 aa.
Agriculturals, \$10 1/4 n.
Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$27 1/2 b.
Watsons (old), \$14 n.
Watsons (new), \$13 1/2 n.
Der. A. Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawfords, \$5 1/2 n.
Mackintoshes, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$16 n.
Wm. Powells, \$3.35 n.
Wing On (H. K.), \$265 n.
Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$19 1/4 b.
Entertainments, \$13 1/2 n.
S. C. Enterprises, \$3 1/4 n.
Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n.
Wallace Harpers, \$12.90 n.
Constructions (old), \$6.45 n.
Constructions (new), \$1.70 aa.
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China Sports Ltd., \$10 n.

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Photographs may be submitted forthwith, and it is intended to reproduce selected pictures in the *Telegraph* Pictorial Supplement as from the first Saturday in July. The Competition will close on August 31st, 1932.

The following rules will govern the Competition:—

- 1.—The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
- 2.—The prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs submitted up to August 31st, 1932. In the event of two or more photographs being considered of equal merit, any or all of the prizes will be divided accordingly. The decision of the judges shall be final.
- 3.—The right to publish any or all of the entries in the *Telegraph* Pictorial Supplement is reserved.
- 4.—Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions will be ineligible.
- 5.—No photographs will be returned.
- 6.—Photographs, preferably in black and white, must be addressed to the Editor and must bear on back the name and address of competitor.
- 7.—No correspondence will be entered into in connexion with the Competition.
- 8.—The six "Agfa" cameras donated by Messrs. Waibel & Co. ("Defag") may only be competed for by local school-children. Each entry in this section must bear the name of the competitor together with that of his or her school.

THAT "SNAP" MAY WIN \$50.00!

WIMBLEDON REFLECTIONS COCHET LEARNS A LESSON & ADVANCES A THEORY RECORD CROWD OF 24,000

London, July 2. The attendance of the general public during the first week of the Championships surpassed all previous records. On Thursday the attendance broke the existing ground record (of 1929), and this figure was itself exceeded by fifteen hundred on Saturday, when twenty-four thousand spectators were present during the afternoon. Nothing like it has ever been seen at Wimbledon before. The guests in the passages leading to the standing room round the centre court were larger than on a final day, the free stands round No. 2 and 3 Courts were overflowing, and the casual wanderer experienced the greatest difficulty in catching a glimpse of the play on the outer courts.

MANY LATECOMERS.

The number of latecomers who turned up during the first week after five o'clock at the new half-price rate of admission exceeded all estimates of the Executive. The supply of tickets ran out on the second day. Consequently the standing room on the centre-court terraces was always full until late in the evening.

FRENCH RECORD GOES.

For the first time since 1924, France failed to win a place in the round of the last eight at Wimbledon. From that year until 1929, France dominated the Championship, Borotra, Lacoste and Cochet each winning the title twice, and Borotra reaching the final on five occasions all told.

COCHET LEARNS A LESSON.

At a dinner on the night of his defeat in the singles championship, H. Cochet intimated to his French companions that he intended to come over to England two weeks before the start of the 1933 Wimbledon in order to acclimatise his play to the lower bound on the grass. He frankly admitted that a champion player should be capable of overcoming such incidental matters as a change of surface; but gave it as his opinion that the entry for the men's singles championship at Wimbledon is now so formidable that an overseas player, even when protected from the strongest of the field through the process of "seeding," cannot now rely on having two or three easy matches in early rounds during which he can shape his strokes to the lower bound of the ball.

THEORY SUPPORTED.

The Frenchman's theory can certainly be supported in fact by this year's draw, one of the strongest ever competing in the fifty-two years' history of the Championships. Such fine players as Allison, Andrews, Bouussus, Gregory, Hughes, Hopman, de Kehrings, Maier, Menzel, Miki, Mangin, Satoh and Timmer all failed to win their places in the seeded "eight," and save in the case of nominated players of the same nationalities could all have found themselves in the same section of "sixteens" if the luck of the draw ordained it so. And even now we have not mentioned N. Sharpe or I. G. Collins, the conquerors of Cochet in 1931 and last week respectively.

INJURED PLAYERS.

Switzerland's two representatives at the Championships, H. C. Fisher and Mile. Payot were both suffering from foot trouble last week. Fisher retired from the singles on his doctor's orders had blistered feet consequent on his gruelling match against G. de Stefani in the third round of the Davis Cup when the old Oxonian won a sensational victory by three sets to two in a match lasting three hours. Mile. Payot had displaced several bones in her foot while extending Mrs. Moody to an advantage set in the French championships, and received the attention of a manipulator a few days before her match against Miss Stammers.

IMPRESSIVE RECORD.

H. C. Fisher has an impressive Davis Cup record for Switzerland this year. He won all six of his singles matches and two of the three doubles in which he competed. Playing against Belgium, Fisher beat van Zuylen and Iwings quite easily, and Gallopo and Landau (Monaco) in the next round. In the doubles match of the Switzerland-Monaco the Gallopo and Landau led Aeschlimann and Fisher by two sets to one, 6-4 and 0-40 and yet failed to win the match. Fisher can never have played so well in singles as against de Stefani and Palmieri in the third round of the Davis Cup. He beat Palmieri 6-8 6-4 1-6 6-1 6-3 after two hours and a half, and on the last day de Stefani (a finalist in the French championships eight days previously) 8-6 0-6 9-7 8-6 8-6 in three hours, during which the Italian held three match-points in the third set and failed to clinch the winning lead of 6-3 in the fifth set.

HIS BEST ACHIEVEMENT.

One of Fisher's best achievements which may not be equalled again for many years was his performance in reaching the round of the "last eight" at Wimbledon without loss of a set in 1925 while still an Oxford undergraduate.

WIMBLEDON LAUGHS.

Wimbledons crowds are quick to appreciate anything in the nature of humour where umpires are concerned. Last week one of the linesman's chairs collapsed and he fell to the ground. Picking himself up, he seized the chair, which promptly came to bits in his hand. Then, to the immense joy of the crowd, it was found that his grey tribby hat was underneath and had been completely mangled.

HUGE RECORD CROWD.

Their Majesties the King and Queen honoured the meeting with their presence, on the first Saturday, receiving an enthusiastic welcome when they arrived at 3.30, just after the match between J. Borotra and E. Maier had commenced, and remaining until 6.30, during which they witnessed the prolonged fight between Mrs. Whittingstall and Mrs. Pitman. The total attendance for the day reached the world record proportions of 24,000, a figure about 1,500 in excess of all previous records. So great, indeed, was the crowd that the centre court gates were closed half an hour before the start of the first match between Perry and Allison. A viewpoint on No. 1 court was impossible of achievement for the late-comer, while centre court ticket-holders, who left their seats for the purpose of a survey of the matches on the outer courts, soon returned after a fruitless journey. Wimbledon has never had such a day.

SCULLER FALLS INTO THE RIVER

HENLEY REGATTA'S SENSATION

Brocklebank Beaten

A sensational incident occurred in the chief event, the heat of the Diamond Sculls, in which the former Cambridge stroke, T. A. Brocklebank, Britain's best sculler, was opposed by the German, H. Buhitz, on the opening day of the Henley Royal Regatta.

When well beaten, half a mile from the finish, Brocklebank fell out of his shell to take no further part in the race. He was rescued and put on board the umpire's launch, none the worse for his ducking.

Apart from this, the event was a disappointment from a British point of view. The German, enthusiastic and confident in his ability, was an impressive figure, but Brocklebank was nervy, and it certainly did not tend to preserve his equilibrium when he refused a request to be photographed with his opponent before the start.

In the race Brocklebank failed to respond to the speed set by the German, who, sculling with the greatest ease and perfect rhythm, increased his lead with every stroke, and was travelling towards one of the easiest victories on record when the incident happened. Buhitz now meets L. F. Southwood, and a great race should be seen, for the latter was impressive in his victory over the Oxonian, L. Clive.

The Ladies Plate provided much interesting racing, with the closest finishes of the day, and one thrilling heat. This was an Oxford-Cambridge duel, with the Dark Blues, New College, gaining a meritorious triumph over Selwyn. It was a magnificent struggle all the way.

In a last titanic effort, New College literally lifted their craft over the line to win by three feet in the fastest time of the day, 7 min. 35 sec.

SPORT ADVTs.

HONGKONG FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

Clubs wishing to join or to retain membership of the Association and League are reminded that July 31st is the closing date for entries for both.

W. E. HOLLANDS,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, July 20th, 1932.

SARAZEN'S DOUBLE NOT A SURPRISE RODE ON CREST OF WAVE OF SUCCESS

The success of Gene Sarazen in the American open championship was not altogether surprising. Those who watched his play when he won the British open championship, saw a man riding on the crest of a wave of success.

He was playing so well then that it seemed impossible that Sarazen could lose his form even in travelling, and playing as he was in England there was nobody to beat him, either there or in his home country.

Sarazen appears to be a contradiction of the theory that a man must be in constant practice to win championships, for he had a few days rest on the boat after winning the British title and then only a day or two to prepare for the American event. On the other hand, Sarazen, like the majority of the players in America, is always engaged in tournament and exhibition golf, and therefore is always in championship form.

WINS BOTH TITLES.

Now that Sarazen has emulated Bobby Jones by winning both titles in the same year he will be able to make a good deal of money out of the game. It is understood that he and T.D. Armour will engage in an exhibition tour for about two months, playing every day.

Naturally the fees, always high for such matches in America, will be increased now that Sarazen is world champion. The exhibition tour is to be run on novel lines.

Before they start each match Armour will lecture on the correct methods of playing iron clubs and demonstrate to the gallery. He will also give advice to players who are in difficulties with their irons. Sarazen has contracted to do the same thing with the wooden clubs.

A surprising feature of the championship was the comparatively high scores. The Fresh Meadow course measures only about 6,500 yards, nearly 500 yards shorter than Prince's, and Sarazen's score was three strokes more in America than it was in England.

REAL CHAMPION



GENE Sarazen was only one more stroke away from the National Open championship when this picture was snapped. He'd just shot out of a sand-trap, down a narrow human lane of spectators, and on to the nightsoth green.

CYCLE TESTS IN BELGIUM FRENCH GRAND PRIX HOTLY DISPUTED AT BRUSSELS

Brussels, July 18. The Francorchamps Motor Cycle Grand Prix was disputed in Belgium yesterday with the following results:

Stanley Wood, on a Norton machine, took the first prize for 500 cub. cm. cylinder capacity, attaining an average speed of 123.4 Km. p.h.

The first prize for 350 cm. was won by Simpson, on a Norton motor cycle, who covered 387 Km. in 3 hours, 17 minutes, 50 seconds, showing an average speed of 117.4 Km. p.h.

Mellores on an "Imperial" took the honours for 250 cm. machines, covering 342 Km. in 3 h. 7 min. 35 sec. his average speed being 109.6 Km. p.h.

Fernihough on an "Excelsior" was the first in 175 cm. category, covering 283 Km. in 3 h. 10 min. 45 sec. at an average speed of 89.6 Km. per hour.

BOXING FIASCO. PERCENTAGE THAT WOULD NOT PAY.

Although Wales possesses the British cruiser-weight champion in Jack Petersen, who also won the British heavy-weight title a fortnight ago the boxing game in the Principality seems to be languishing so far as public support is concerned.

At Cardiff where Barney Klesweller, the welter-weight champion of South Africa, was to meet George Rose, of Bristol, barely 400 spectators were present.

After an hour's delay, the promoter decided to return them their money. Fred Dyer, the manager of Rose, explained to the crowd that the boxers were fighting on a gate percentage and owing to the poor attendance they would get nothing for their trouble and expense. There was a suggestion that the minor bouts of a less expensive nature should be carried through, but this was not acted upon, and the money was eventually returned to the spectators.

The promoters at the Marnes-mann Hall, Swansea, had much the same experience, but the result was more satisfactory. Bert Kirby, the ex-British fly-weight champion, and Jimmy Jones, of Pontypridd, were the top liners, and the announcer stated that Kirby, owing to the poor attendance, was disinclined to fight, but eventually Kirby went through with his engagement. The result was a draw, Jones taking two short counts.

U. S. WALKER CUP TEAM

New York, July 29.

The following have been chosen to represent the United States in the Walker Cup match against England, at Brookline (Mass.), or September 1 and 2.

Francis Ouimet (Boston), captain; G. T. Dunlap Jr. (Princeton); Billy Howell Jr. (Richmond); Maurice McCarthy Jr. (New York); G. Scavoy (Los Angeles); Jesse Sweetser (New York); G. J. Voigt (New York); J. Westland (Chicago).

Five of the team have not played in the Walker Cup before—Dunlap, Howell, McCarthy, Scavoy, and Westland.

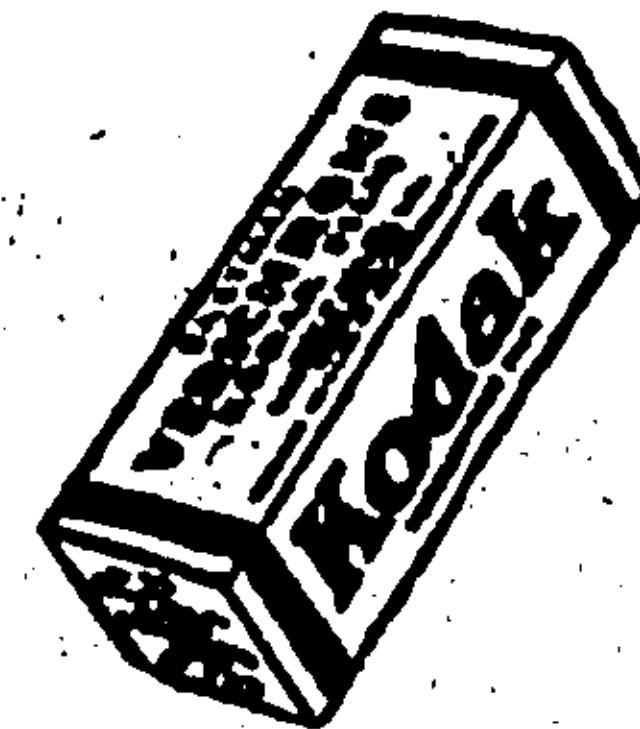


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MEDICAL WORK IN NEW TERRITORIES.

SUCCESSFUL CHARITY PERFORMANCE

The charity performance at the Queen's Theatre on Saturday night, organized by the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society, in aid of the work for New Territories farmers, was a signal success. Despite the heavy rain, there was a good attendance to see the many special features in the programme of the evening, presented by Long Tack Sam and his troupe and by local talented Chinese amateurs.

Captain Webb, A. D. C. to H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, and a party from Government House, were honoured guests of the Society at the entertainment.

Dr. F. I. Tseung, a member of the Medical Board and Secretary of the Society, introduced Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan and Mr. J. D. Bush as speakers of the evening, to express thanks to the patrons and various commercial houses and institutions supporting the show. From enquiry at the office of the Queen's Theatre, it was roughly estimated that the show netted almost \$4,500.

The first part of the entertainment began with "A Night in Hawaii" featuring the Aloha Quintet. The interpretative songs and Hawaiian music by this group of young Chinese elicited considerable applause. The piano-forte performance by Miss Amelia Lee was warmly greeted. Miss Lee's ease and grace at the piano showed every sign of a remarkably promising pianist, considering especially she was playing masterpieces like Liszt's "Campanella" and Chopin's "Nocturne in E-flat."

Mr. Long Tack Sam with his daughters, Mi-Na and Neo-Sa Long, and his entire troupe of wonder-workers, following with the second part of the programme, kept the audience spell-bound for the rest of the evening with the usual high standard of magic and acrobatics. By special request, Mr. Long Tack Sam introduced into this charity performance several new features that had not been presented since his visit to the Colony.

Alms of the Society.
In thanking the patrons of the show, Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan spoke in Chinese, followed by Mr. J. D. Bush in English.

Mr. Bush spoke as follows:
On behalf of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society, I thank you very heartily for your generous response to this charity performance. The mere fact that all tickets were sold within a week speaks well for the public-spiritedness of the Colony. Particularly gratifying was the response from three donors who have paid \$100 for two tickets each. And there can be no possible doubt that all present to-night at this theatre are supporters of a worthy charity, because the sick poor farmers in the New Territories do have a strong claim upon our sympathy and help.

Motoring through the main roads in the New Territories, many of us may not have any conception of the appalling conditions; but if we come closer to the villages, we are brought face to face with hard reality. Then and only then can we realize that it is our duty to establish safeguards against the spread of infectious and other diseases, and that it is our duty to see that the four clinics and maternity homes of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society never lack the means of carrying on their splendid work.

The Society invites all classes and communities of the Colony to co-operate in this work of promoting public health among the farmers in the New Territories. Great things have been done during the present generation in Hongkong to take care of the sick poor, in an effort to provide ample accommodation for their careful nursing. The spirit of philanthropy and spirit of co-operation in the Colony in recent years is more in evidence. No doubt, no isolating walls can keep the ill of the weak from reaching the strong. Carlyle tells us of an Irish widow who in Edinburgh with three helpless children sought help in vain, fell ill of typhus, and infecting seventeen others, died. "The forlorn Irish widow," cries Carlyle grimly, "applies to her fellow creatures, 'Behold I am sinking bare of help. I am your sister; one God made us. You must help me.' They answer, No, impossible; thou art

LESSON-SERMON.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, HONGKONG

"Truth" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday.

The Golden Text was—"He who blesseth himself in the earth shall bless himself in the God of truth; and he that sweareth in the earth shall swear by the God of truth." (Isaiah 65:16.)

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible—"And ye know that he was manifested to take away our sins; and in him is no sin. He that committeth sin is of the devil; for the devil sinneth from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the works of the devil." (1 John 3:5, 8.)

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy—"Truth, God, is not the father of error. Sin, sickness, and death are to be classified as effects of error. Christ came to destroy the belief of sin. Christ is the ideal Truth, that comes to heal sickness and sin through Christian Science, and attributes all power to God." (p. 473.)

HONGKONG TRADE.

NEW ORDERS FOR COTTONS ANTICIPATED

The following reports by importers have been supplied to the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce: Cotton piece goods and fancy cotton goods.—The following reports have been received:

Some enquiries have been made for standard lines of Poplins and Spring Fancies, but no business appears to have been settled by the dealers. However, indications have been given regarding assortments, which shows that some new orders are contemplated. Local prices for Staples and Fancies continue to drift downward, and whilst clearances of the former have been fair the latter remain stationary.

The latest Cotton prices to hand are those of the 22nd inst: Mid. American "Spot" 4.59d. Egyptian Sakel, F.G.F. "Spot" 6.90d.

Woolens.—A few small miscellaneous transactions are reported and certain replacements have been made on standard lines, but buyers are only satisfying their immediate needs, owing to uncertainty regarding prices. Some enquiries are reported from Singapore, these being the first for many months. Clearances of Wool Yarns have been settled.

Metals.—Market firmer and business continues dull.

Flour.—Market weak.

JAPAN AND LEAGUE.

MR. MATSUOKA TO ACT AS REPRESENTATIVE

Tokyo, July 23.
Mr. Yosuke Matsuoka, who was Baron Inukai's special representative in China during the Shanghai war, has been chosen as Japanese representative to the forthcoming general assembly of the League of Nations.

Mr. Matsuoka is leaving for Manchuria on Tuesday on an inspection trip before proceeding to Geneva.—Reuter.

no sisters of ours!" The result was that she proved her sisterhood because her typhus killed them.

Appeal for Assistance.

From the programme in your hands, you will find printed a resume of the activities of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society as well as the aims of the Society, and I cannot go into them within the time at my disposal. To those of you who wish the endeavours of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society to go on, in season and out of season, we appeal with every confidence for assistance in donations and in other practical ways. Dr. F. I. Tseung, whose office is at 62, Queen's Road Central, is the Secretary of the Society. Should you desire to know more about the good work of the Society, you may communicate with him direct.

I can see some of you casting anxious glances at the clock; I will not keep you much longer from enjoying the programme of the evening. Before concluding my remarks, let me acknowledge a great debt of gratitude to Mr. Long Tack Sam and his troupe and all the other artists who have contributed so much to this performance. The Society is especially grateful to the Aloha Quintet, Miss Amelia Lee (Miss Lee Choi-cho), Mr. Li Chor-chi and Mr. Ma See-chung, the talented violinist returned from France. Last but not least the Society feels extremely grateful to the three generous donors for donating \$100 each for two tickets, whose names are Mr. Chan Ip-cho, Dr. Ip Kam-wah and Mr. Ip Hoi-kuk. Special thanks are also due to the Tang

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EX-MILITARY OFFICER A FUGITIVE

That the troops of a General or Governor, forced to flee the country on being deprived of power, as often as not turned bandits, was the suggestion put by the Public Prosecutor (Mr. R. E. Lindsell) in a pointed query to a witness at the close of extradition proceedings before Mr. Grantham at the Central Magistracy on Saturday.

The Court was investigating the case of Leung Cheung, described as a former battalion commander of General Chan Kwing-ming, whose surrender is sought by the Canton authorities on a requisition charging him with banditry and kidnapping on the West River on the night of June 28, 1929.

In his defence, the fugitive called as a witness Sung Ching-kum, who gave his credentials as follows:

He had served as a clerk in the Hongkong Government in the early nineties, but later went to Honolulu where he functioned as a Vice-Consul until 1908.

Upon the overthrow of the Manchu Imperial regime and the establishment of the Chinese Republic, he returned to Hongkong, and established himself in business here and at Canton. Between whiles he acted as interpreter in Mandarin at both the Hongkong Central Magistracy and at the Supreme Court.

An Honorary Secretary.

He was now an honorary Secretary to General Chan Kwing-ming, and through the latter got to know the fugitive, whose personal acquaintance he made when visiting General Chan at the latter's residence at Conduit Road.

At the material period, witness continued, he was still visiting General Chan Kwing-ming, when a suggestion was made that a new Chinese political party should be formed with General Chan as its leader. During that time, between June 16 and July 19 or 20, witness said, he saw the fugitive every day at the General's house. It was the fugitive's desire that General Chan should come into Court to speak on his behalf, but political business kept him away and witness had been asked by the General to come to the Court in his place. About a week ago, General Chan left for Tientsin on a political mission and before his departure, he had reminded him (witness) of the necessity of doing all he could for the fugitive.

Deputised for General.

Speaking of the fugitive's standing vis-a-vis the General, witness stated that whenever the General held a levee of his former commanders, the fugitive, as one of them, would often be sent for and called upon to deputise for the General and entertain his guests. The Public Prosecutor took witness back over the years 1922-24, and tested his knowledge of the political changes occurring at Canton during that period. He asked witness "what was this wonderful political party that he had spoken about."

The reply was that it was a new party called the Tze Kung Tong, conceived after the fall from power of General Chan Kwing-ming, designed to run counter to the Kuomintang of the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen.

The Public Prosecutor: Has it not happened again and again when a General or Governor has gone out of power, his troops have immediately turned bandits?

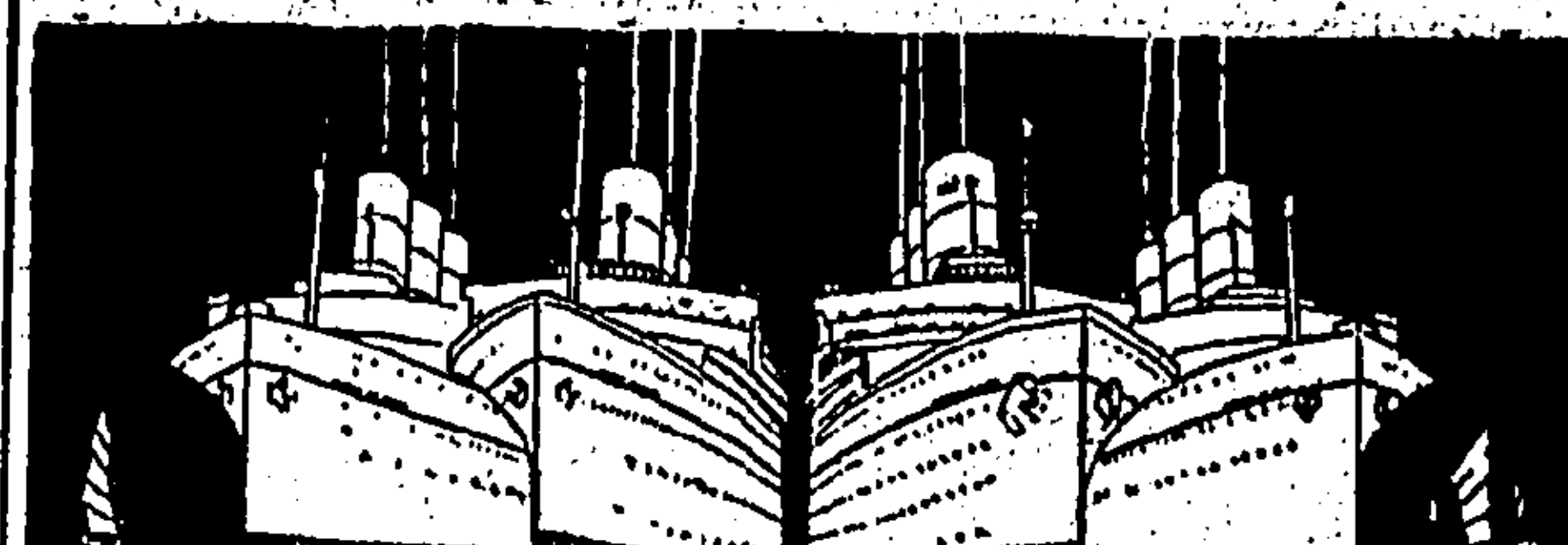
The witness asserted that "some do and some don't."

This was the only witness called by the fugitive, the case against whom was then closed. In committing the fugitive to gaol to await further orders from H.E. the Governor, his Worship informed the man that he would not be surrendered until 15 days, during which period he had the right, if he wished to, to apply to the Supreme Court for a writ of habeas corpus.

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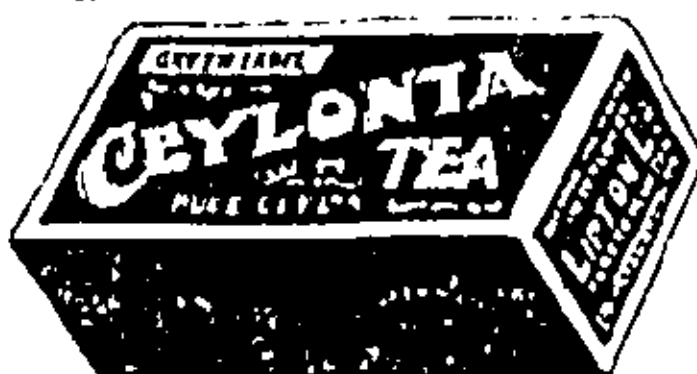
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MAN HUNTERS

(Continued from Page 3.)

Susan was interested in them for a few minutes but soon her nervousness was uppermost again. She had an almost overwhelming desire to run away. She had come on a fool's errand. With fast beating heart she assured herself that Bob would be remote and cool to her. He would not forgive her for things she had said the day before.

What was it he had said at parting? "You don't love me at all. You never have. I'm through with you!"

Of course he had been angry but what if he had really meant it? The girl shivered, and the woman wearing the scarf who had been envying and admiring the tall miss in the fur coat looked at her curiously.

Susan wandered out to the region of the train gates and strolled back and forth. The minutes lagged. It was cold and draughty here. Several well-dressed couples passed briskly with laden porters in their wake. A rakish looking man in a romantic, wide-brimmed hat swung by, carrying a brief case. There was the hustle and subdued excitement attendant to the departure of the crack train.

Twelve-twenty. Twelve-thirty. Twelve-thirty-five. Susan's heart was like lead in her breast. She had lost him—she had lost him! Trainmen began to shout orders. Last-minute stragglers hurried through the gates, impatient at the delay over tickets.

Her eyes raked the crowd. No tall young man in a dark topcoat. No fair head, or stern jawed profile in sight. The clock's hands crawled inexorably ahead. Then all at once she saw him. He was striding as rapidly as his long legs would carry him through the swinging doors. A liveried chauffeur was at his heels, a blue ticket in his fingers.

The girl stood frozen, immobile. "All aboard!" came the call.

Just as Bob Dunbar came abreast of the gate, intent on the business of getting through, he heard a soft voice call his name. He raised his eyes in an intimidating glare.

He was at her side. The chauffeur, respectfully interested, said, "Shall I go on with these things, sir?"

"No. Wait here," Bob rapped the words out.

The man who was punching tickets interposed swiftly. "The lady may go through with you, sir; if you like. But you'd better get aboard. There's only a minute left."

Bob took Susan's arm and swung her along beside him.

"But I thought you wouldn't—thought you wouldn't go," she protested.

"Why not?" The words were like pellets of ice.

"Something happened. I'm not going to marry Ernest after all."

They were at the second coach now and a white-coated, grinning porter was reaching for the bags. Up ahead the whistle sounded warningly and a bell began to clang.

"Never mind, Grimes," Bob shouted. "I'm not going."

The chauffeur's face remained impassive. "Where shall I put the luggage, sir?"

"Anywhere you like!" Bob's arm was linked in Susan's.

(To be Continued.)

HOSTILITIES IN MANCHURIA

WAR BEING WAGED AT SEVERAL POINTS

Harbin, July 24.

A force of 500 anti-Manchukuo soldiers at Hailicheng, 40 miles north-west of Kiamusze, is reported to have attacked a Nakamura detachment.—*Reuter*.

Attack on Imienpo.

Imienpo, July 24.

Reports state that Imienpo is surrounded by Anti-Manchukuo forces, and an attack is imminent. The muddy fields are preventing aeroplanes from taking off.—*Reuter*.

Battle Near Harbin.

Harbin, July 23.

Severe fighting is going on at Puyen, some forty-five miles to the north of Harbin between the garrison and a large force of anti-Manchukuo troops.

The anti-Manchukuo forces attacked in large numbers but are being stubbornly resisted.—*Reuter*.

Japanese Reports.

Peking, July 23.

Chinese officials discredit Japanese reports from Mukden that General Chang Hsueh-liang is planning a military drive to Mukden with the object of establishing his rule there.

They describe the reports as being completely without foundation.—*Reuter*.

Postal Blockade.

Shanghai, July 23.

It is announced that a postal blockade against the Manchukuo government has been made effective from to-day.—*Reuter*.

TUNG WAH HOSPITAL.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE PROPERTY PLANNED

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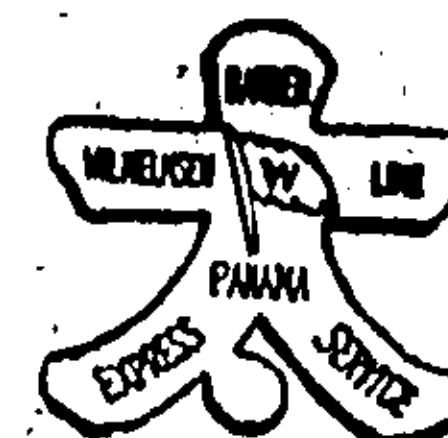
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HUNT AND HARTEAM BOUND OVER

Personal bonds to come up for judgment when called upon were ordered to be signed by James Hunt and Alexander Hartman, who appeared on remand before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning.

Mr. Horace Lo appeared for the defendants, who at the previous hearing admitted charges of larceny of separate membership tickets of the South China Athletic Association. Hunt was further accused of stealing a pair of shoes, which he denied, claiming that the shoes had been substituted for his costume and towel during his temporary absence from the dressing room. He was unaware of the substitution until spoken to by an attendant and his basket was searched.

In pointing out that there were two or three possibilities for the presence of the shoes in the basket, his Worship held that guilty knowledge had not been proved, and Hunt was discharged on this count.

Each defendant was ordered to sign a bond of \$100 to come up for judgment when called upon during the period of one year.

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Discovering a Chinese during the week-end leaving No. 13, Bowen Road, with an empty packing case on his shoulder, Mr. E. F. Buttress, of the Public Works Department, brought the man back, when it was ascertained that the case belonged to Mr. R. M. Wood, living at the same address, and that the Chinese had had no authority to take it away.

The man was charged with theft and also with disobeying an order of banishment, before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Magistrate's Court to-day. He was sentenced to three months on the first charge, and six months on the second.

Two further cases of cholera were notified during the week-end.

OPENING OF N.Y.K. APPEAL

HARBOUR COLLISION SEQUEL

JUDGES AIDED BY ASSESSORS

Before a Court of three judges and two naval assessors, the appeal of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha against a judgment of Sir Joseph Kemp in favour of the China Navigation Company, was commenced this morning.

The case goes back to the misty morning of March 22nd, 1931 when the N.Y.K. steamer Toyooka Maru and the China Navigation Company's Kiangsu came into collision when off Kowloon Dock Point.

Two civil actions followed. The China Navigation Company entered suit claiming \$40,000. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha replied with a cross-action for \$40,554.

JUDGE'S DECISION.

In the original trial, Sir Joseph Kemp found for the China Navigation Company for the full amount of the claim with costs. He dismissed the claim of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha. The two actions were heard jointly in original jurisdiction, and were now taken together in appeal.

Sir Peter Grain presided and with him were Sir Joseph Kemp, Mr. Justice Wood, Commander E. D. Brooke, R.N., and Lieut-Commander Ruggard-Halpin, R.N. (naval assessors).

Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., instructed by Messrs Johnson, Stokes and Master, appeared for the respondents. Mr. J. G. Sheldon instructed by Messrs Hastings, Dennis and Bowley, represented the appellants.

AGREEMENT ON MANY POINTS.

Before commencing his argument, Mr. Sheldon read the evidence of the principal witnesses in the lower Court. He also read the judgment of Sir Joseph Kemp.

"Many facts are agreed between us in this case," said Mr. Sheldon. "We know the Toyooka Maru left Kowloon wharf at 7.10 a.m. in charge of a licensed pilot. At 7.43 a.m. the ship's position was three cables from North Point which was southeast by east."

"At 7.43 the master of the Toyooka Maru consulted the pilot, as a heavy fog was coming down

DOCK FERRY RAMS A JUNK

CRAFT ALMOST TORN IN HALF

Some excitement was caused near the Star Ferry wharf at 10.45 a.m. to-day, when the Kowloon Dock ferry, which was crossing the harbour, crashed into a junk. The force of the collision almost tore the junk, which was not laden with cargo, in half, and she quickly became water-logged.

The junk was prevented from sinking only by the fact that the bow of the steam ferry remained held fast through the interior of the junk. Ropes were passed across the junk to prevent it from sinking, but assistance from another vessel had to be procured to separate the two craft.

Holding the damaged junk up by ropes, which were passed around its hull, the Kowloon Dock ferry later towed it across the harbour to Kowloon.

Seven or eight Chinese were aboard the junk, but no one was injured.

A further 0.44-inch of rain fell during the 24 hours ended 10 a.m. to-day. This makes a total for the year of 52.35 inches, against an average of 48.91 inches.

From the hills. No ships were seen and no signals heard by the master or pilot of the Toyooka Maru. They decided to alter the course to the north-east in order to anchor at the man-o-war anchorage until the fog had passed.

The Toyooka Maru did not have to make a long journey, continued Mr. Sheldon, but at 7.44 she heard a whistle on her starboard bow. With engines stopped, she continued her course. Between 7.44 and 7.48 she heard more whistles and when the 7.48 whistle was blown the Kiangsu was seen one cable away.

MASTERS DISAGREE. "There is a discrepancy in the evidence of the two masters at this stage," said Mr. Sheldon. "The master of Toyooka Maru says when the Kiangsu came into sight, she was 300 feet ahead. Capt. Ritchie of the Kiangsu says when he first saw the Japanese boat, she was 900 feet ahead. At 7.50, two minutes after the vessels had sighted each other, the collision occurred."

Mr. Sheldon was still speaking when the Court rose for till.

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